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ENGLAND AND ALL EUROPE NOW ANXIOUSLY AWAIT OUTCOME OF FURIOUS BATTLE IN FLANDERS

Allied Fleet and Army Have Commenced an Attack on the Dardanelles.

ALLIES' LINE IS DENTED

By Initial Attack of the Germans Near Ypres Unexpected.

Much Speculation as to Intention of Germans.

London, April 26. — The tremendous battle begun by the German attack on the Allied arc-like front around Ypres in the plains of Flanders continues with undiminished fury, and England, like the rest of Europe, is awaiting the outcome with undisguised anxiety.

Even the news that the Allied fleet and army have commenced an attack on the Dardanelles and that troops are advancing against the Turkish entrenchments has received only passing attention in the face of the stakes that are in the balance in the battle which is being fought beyond the English channel.

While most persons believe the Germans, by the stroke they have delivered against the British, the French and Belgians, once again are aiming at Dunkirk and Calais, others believe that it is only a feint to draw the Allies' reserves, while preparations are being made for an attack at some other point in the long line.

Germans' Coup Successful.

Whatever are the Germans' intentions, they certainly made a successful coup, which, while it did not break, did dent the Allies' line. The Canadians, who were holding the British portion of the lines, were the first to recover themselves, and in counter-attack—praises of which are ringing throughout the Empire—recaptured the ground they had been compelled to give up, and since then, with their comrades, have withstood the German assaults.

The French and Belgians who received the blast in fuller force and were driven back across the canal between Boesinghe and Steen Straate, were not much slower in recovering, and, according to the French official reports, regained possession of the canal banks, and most of the surrounding territory to the east.

There is no inclination here to belittle the initial success of the German sweep, and the work that is ahead of the Allied armies before the situation can be fully restored.

"Masterly Tactical Counted Stroke."

A writer in the Pall Mall Gazette describes it as a "masterly counter stroke" and declares that "if the Germans have waited long to take their revenge for Neuve Chapelle, they have taken it now."

By getting across the canal, it is pointed out, the Germans gained for the moment command of the new roads, and if they had not been driven back, would have forced a readjustment of the whole Allied line in the region of Ypres.

The official reports throw little light on the progress of the battle, but news from Holland gives the information that the cannonade last night was more severe than ever, and that long trains of German reinforcements going to the front are passing equally long trains of wounded, bound for the base hospitals. There is no likelihood, therefore, that the battle will be over for some days to come, as the Germans have made immense preparations in men and material for their offensive, which has forestalled that of the Allies.

That there is no shortage of either men or munitions is shown by the fact that the Germans are at the same time conducting an offensive in the heights of the Meuse, where they have made an unsuccessful attack, according to Paris, in an effort to recapture Les Esparges.

British optimism in the outcome is encouraged by the success of the Allies in repelling similar attacks last October, when they were less well equipped than the Germans; whereas, now, there is believed to be little to choose as between the opposing forces in either numbers or the machinery of war. The battle has had a marked effect on recruiting, which enjoyed a considerable boom today.

In the meantime, the Austro-Germans have evolved a new movement in the Carpathians.

Apparently, they have withdrawn the force which attempted to outflank the Russians in the direction of Stry, and are attacking the neighborhood of Uzsok Pass and east of that point. Austria claims to have gained a considerable success in the capture of additional heights and prisoners.

All that is known of the attack on

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GERMAN FLEET TO BOMBARD ATLANTIC PORTS OF CANADA?

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Portland, April 26. — A German fleet is headed for the Atlantic coast of Canada, to bombard important cities and fortifications there, according to a letter received today by Captain Carl Brauch, master of the German bark Dalbek, interned here since July 23rd, from a friend who is a deck officer of the German navy.

"Eight days before the German fleet bombarded Scarborough, Hartlepool and other ports, I received a letter from the same friend, telling me that the German fleet would strike for the British coast," said Captain Brauch.

GROOMING HENDERSON MAN TO ENTER RACE

D. Y. Cooper for "Business Man's Governor" Proposed.

Col. Robert Lassiter Thinks He is Best Equipped Man in State for Place Colonel Osborne Lunches With McAdoo.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., April 26.—D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson, would make the best "business man's" governor in North Carolina, in the opinion of Col. Robert W. Lassiter, formerly of Oxford, now residing in Washington.

"Dave Cooper is the best equipped man in the State to fill the office of Governor," said Colonel Lassiter. "He is the man of all men to put North Carolina in the proper financial shape. He would not only be a good business man but he would fill the bill in all other respects."

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Osborne took lunch with Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. McAdoo today at their residence on Massachusetts avenue. Colonel Osborne would not admit that important matters affecting the administration were discussed, but it is understood that Mr. McAdoo wanted the Colonel's opinion on the Riggs National bank matter.

T. J. Young, of Henderson, and Rudolph Turk, of Raleigh, are among today's visitors.

The portrait of W. O. Graham, formerly Secretary of the Navy, has arrived and will be hung on the walls in the Navy building. P. R. A.

PRELIMINARY PLANS FOR DEFENSE ARE COMPLETED

By Counsel for McAdoo and Williams, in Riggs Bank Case.

Washington, April 26. — Counsel for Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller of the Currency Williams have completed preliminary plans of the defense to be made when the Riggs National Bank proceedings are taken up in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, May 12. It now is regarded as almost certain that no attempt will be made to institute criminal proceedings against the bank, if at all, before the defense in the civil case has been begun.

Government lawyers are expected to bear the defense largely on the ground that there has been no conspiracy between Mr. McAdoo and Mr. Williams to injure the bank; that anything they have appeared to do in concert was done lawfully and with entire propriety. The government will maintain that neither official exceeded his lawful power. The complaint of the bank was directed mainly at Mr. Williams, and the defense will devote more attention to his power under the National bank laws than to justification of acts in which the secretary of the treasury figured.

Reports of a compromise in the case are denied vigorously, both by officials of the bank and by those on the government side.

BATTLESHIP PROPELLED BY ELECTRIC CURRENT

Contract for Machinery for the California Awarded.

Washington, April 26.—Electric propelling machinery for the new battleship California, the first sea-fighter of any nation to be equipped with the electric drive, will be built by the General Electric Company of New York for $431,000, Secretary Daniels announced tonight. The California is building at the New York navy yard.

"Not only is the electric drive cheaper to construct than a turbine installation," said the secretary, "but it offers also superior economy in operation, a reduction in weight and utilization of full power in backing. The latter is an important military feature, not obtainable in an all-turbine installation."

The American collier Jupiter was the first naval vessel to be equipped with electric propulsion.

Chatanooga, Tenn., April 26.—Editors, business men, industrial leaders and ministers from all parts of the South have arrived for the four day session of the Southern Conference for Education and Industrial which meets heer tomorrow. Fairfax Harrison, president of the Southern Railway, will be one of the principal speakers at the opening session.

CARTER-ABERNETHY COMMISSION AT WORK

Preparation of Its Report Begun Yesterday.

Commission Holding Executive Sessions in Raleigh—No Intimation as to Nature of Forthcoming Report—"Wiseacres"

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 26.—The legislative commission began today the actual preparation of its forthcoming report to Governor Craig and the Legislature of its findings in the investigation of the Solicitor Abernethy-Judge Carter contempt case and the subsequent charges against Judge Carter, with the expectation that the report will be completed and filed with Governor Craig before the end of the present week. All the members of the commission, except Representative Dunning, were here for the opening session this afternoon and he will arrive tomorrow morning.

Chairman R. A. Doughton said this evening that while they found that the voluminous evidence and the arguments as taken by the stenographer at the former sessions has not yet been fully written up, they find that they have enough of it at hand to begin their work, and are already making progress in considering various issues on which the views of the members of the commission are being exchanged in executive session and agreements reached as to positions the commission will take and recommendations that will be made.

No member of the commission is giving the slightest indication as to what the findings and recommendations will be. Some of the most trustworthy "wiseacres" hereabouts are predicting that the outcome of the whole affair will be that Solicitor Abernethy will receive a suggestion as to how he can get the elimination of the court record in Craven of the contempt fine against him through petition to whatever judge is riding the circuit for correction of the records, Judge Carter, possibly, letting the matter go by default, and the committee passing a kindly suggestion to Judge Carter that he exercise that degree of self control on the bench on the occasion of trying situations that will help in avoiding clashes with lawyers and others in court such as have given rise to the greater part of the testimony adverse to him in the recent hearings before the commission.

The work of the committee right along now until the report and recommendations are filed with Governor Craig will be in executive session. The committee is composed of Chairman R. A. Doughton and Representatives Grier, of Iredell; Stacy, of New Hanover; Vann, of Union; Dunning, of Martin; Allred, of Johnston and Hutchinson, of Mecklenburg.

SECOND BATTLE BETWEEN OBREGON AND VILLA EXPECTED

Little News From the Situation Received in Washington.

Washington, April 26.—The Villa and Obregon Mexican armies probably will clash in a second battle within a few days south of Torreon, according to a statement issued by Villa's agency tonight. Villa is considered to have reassembled his forces at Aguas Calientes and the Zapata advance from Mexico City is said to have drawn an "iron ring" around Obregon's Carranza army.

Advices to the State Department today made little reference to the Villa-Obregon situation. Mail advices from Sonora said conditions there were nearly normal with the exception of the Yaqui Valley district, where the Yaqui Indians have attacked several foreign-owned properties.

D. A. R. DIVIDED AS TO USE OF JOHN PAUL JONES HOME

Some for Establishing School; Others Repairing Home.

Washington, April 26.—The National Board of Management of the Daughters of the American Revolution met here today to consider the foundation of a national university by the society. For this purpose the old John Paul Jones home in North Carolina has been offered, together with certain sums from the State and county, contingent upon contributions from the society. The Daughters are said to be divided over the advisability of undertaking this scheme, many of whom believe it would be better to take over the estate and preserve it as a patriotic relic.

GERMAN RAIDER TO INTERN AFTER ALL

Commander Thierfelder so Notifies U. S. Government.

60 OF CREW VERY ILL

Kronprinz Wilhelm Forced to Intern, Despite Commander's Declarations to Contrary—Probably Tie Up at Norfolk.

Newport News, Va., April 26.—Although he repeatedly declared that he would not intern but would attempt a dash to sea to resume his commerce destroying cruise, Commander Thierfelder, of the German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, late today notified Collector of Port Norman R. Hamilton that he would intern his vessel. The collector at once informed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrew J. Peters by long distance telephone and the notice of internment was first given official announcement by Mr. Peters.

Commander Thierfelder, amplifying verbally his brief notice of the internment to Collector Hamilton, said it would have been his own choice to have gone and that it had been his hope and expectation to do so until it became evident that, owing to the continued serious illness of more than 60 of his crew, it would be impossible for him to do so.

Commander Thierfelder said he had used all haste possible to make his ship ready to resume her work at sea and had this morning begun taking coal, but his surgeons, after conference this afternoon, informed him there was no prospect of the early recovery of the remaining 60 sick men and that it could not be told how much longer they would have to be kept in the hospital on shipboard. Commander Thierfelder said that in view of this condition, which made his crew too short to put to sea, and further in view of his inability to get more men because it was impossible under the laws of nations for him to recruit for sailors on American soil to make up his necessary crew complement, he was forced to intern.

Commander Thierfelder had until midnight, April 30th, in which to finally depart from this port, but he said that when it became so plainly evident late today that he would not have enough well men to carry him out then, he decided he did not wish to hold up the commerce of an American port unnecessarily and gave Collector Hamilton his official notice of internment.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm will likely be interned in Norfolk where the Prinz Eitel Friedrich is now tied up.

The commander presented this note: "Herewith I have to officially inform you that I intern."

The Wilhelm, after repairing at the ship yard and loading quantities of supplies, began taking on 3,000 tons of coal at the local docks today. Rumors that she would attempt a dash to sea past the allied warships off the Virginia Capes had been current all day.

Hardly Before Wednesday.

It is quite likely that the Kronprinz will not move to Norfolk, however, until Wednesday. She late today concluded the taking aboard of 1,000 tons of coal and will tomorrow take aboard probably 800 tons of water. It is necessary for her to take water in order to get steam to proceed to Norfolk. The commander also probably will wish to take on two weeks' supplies and provisions which have been ordered here, before proceeding to Norfolk. This will likely take until Wednesday forenoon.

The navy tug rocket moved to a position by the Wilhelm at the coal pier and a navy patrol will be continued by her until she is removed to Norfolk.

If the Kronprinz had not interned, it would have been necessary for Collector Hamilton to have held up for 48 hours the departure of all vessels flying the flag of any nation with which Germany is now at war. This in order to have given the Kronprinz Wilhelm a full 24 hours in which to depart from the territorial waters of the United States.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm could not depart within 24 hours of the depar-

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Scorching Heat Wave Covers East

TEMPERATURES EXCEED HIGHEST EVER RECORDED IN APRIL IN NUMBER OF PLACES IN EASTERN STATES.

Washington, April 26.—A scorching heat wave is hoveing over the eastern half of the United States from the Mississippi valley to the Atlantic coast, causing sufferng in the cities and serious damage to wheat and other crops in the agricultural districts.

Reports to the weather bureau tonight told of temperatures exceeding the highest ever recorded in April. Officials said no important changes were indicated for any region before Wednesday and that temperatures above the seasonal average would continue generally east of the Rocky Mountains. Tonight's reports show new temperature records established as follows:

Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va., 94 degrees; Toledo, Ohio, 90; Grand Rapids, Mich., Cincinnati, O., and Elkins, W. Va., 88; Port Huron, Mich., 86; and Green Bay, Wis., 84.

Previous records at Albany and Syracuse, N. Y., 84 degrees, were equalled.

DEVELOPMENT OF WATERWAYS BEATS RATE REGULATION

Declares Senator Ransdell to Southern Commercial Congress.

MAJOR GRAHAM SPEAKS

"We Must Create Home-Owning Yeomanry" Who Will Feed Themselves.

Many Addresses Heard at Muscogee on Opening Day.

Muskogee, Okla., April 26.—Development of the country's waterways and resultant transportation competition will prove more effective in relieving the United States of excessive freight rates than efforts of the interstate commerce bodies to regulate the railroads, according to Senator Joseph E. Ransdell, of Louisiana, chairman of the Senate committee on rivers and harbors and president of the National Rivers and Harbors Association, who addressed the Southern Commercial Congress here tonight.

"I am not an opponent of the railroads," Senator Ransdell declared, "for our railroads have been the greatest civilizers the world has known. But the shippers and consumers are entitled to the use of the waterways and such competition is the proper way to regulate our roads.

"The chief advantage of water transportation is its great cheapness compared to rail," Senator Ransdell said. "As an example, eighty million tons of freight passed through the Sault Ste. Marie last year at an average cost of .68 of a mill a ton a mile, compared with a rail rate of .73 of a cent. This same relative difference exists on all well improved waterways.

To make competition between water and rail transportation lines possible, Senator Ransdell said, the Southern steamboat man must dispense with the old fashioned negro stevedore and install mechanical devices such as are used on the Great Lakes.

"I believe every waterway in this country should be developed to the greatest possible extent, provided it can be done at a reasonable cost," he asserted. "They should be given over to privately owned lines just as our railroads are. It is useless economy to attempt to cut any appropriation for such development.

W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture of North Carolina, another speaker, declared that several serious problems must be solved "before the South can be rejuvenated."

"We must create a home-growing yeomanry who will raise crops to feed themselves and thus recover their lost independent condition," he said. "We must establish the principles of co-operation in buying and selling by means of township, county, and state organizations. We must teach the farmers to think by inducing him to attend institutes. Too many farmers who know that they must live by the sweat of their brow believe the brow is situated in the back.

"We must have rural credit laws that will free the farmer from the curse of borrowing and we must have a currency system that will give the farmer the money he needs when he wants it."

Gabe E. Parker, superintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes, welcomed the delegates for the Indians of Oklahoma. Governor Williams, of Oklahoma, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the state and the opening of the convention this morning was preceded by a parade.

A number of addresses describing the agricultural needs of the South were delivered at the opening session of the Congress today.

Myron T. Herrick Speaks.

Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France, discussed rural credits and the question of state aid to farmers. He voiced his opposition to the Hollis-Bulkley bill and the McCumber amendment, which, though they failed of passage in Congress, contained provisions for state aid which were bound to come up again.

"State aid, in ordinary times," he said, "is a great wrong, and means simply the bestowal of a benefit on one person at the expense of the public. The farmers are not chronic borrowers; many are depositors and not a few are stockholders and officers in county banks, and all are tax-payers on property whose value is incalculable. The majority have no need of special favors, and when they realize that they must pay by increased taxes their share of the cost and any loss, they will oppose such class legislation. The public should awake to the dangers which lurk in these two bills and many other measures pending in Congress. Once on the statute books it would be difficult to repeal them until they had precipitated a crisis."

Dr. Eggleston Speaks.

Dr. J. D. Eggleston, president of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, told the Southern Commercial Congress here today that 97 out of every 100 school children "go forth into life unable to apply the so-called education to the immediate problem of making a living, the problem that immediately confronts them."

"A purely academic course of study—the kind we now have—" said the doctor, "causes the school to become an active emigration bureau and either depopulates the community or keeps it at the least at a stagnant standstill."

Year after year, he declared, educa-

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ROOSEVELT AS GOVERNOR FREELY CONSULTED 'BOSS' PLATT ON MANY MATTERS

JAPAN'S LIST OF DEMANDS EXTENDED

China is Making "Feeble" Military Preparations.

PEKING EXPECTS FORCE

To Be Used by Japan if 24 Demands Are Not Accepted—These Now Include Even Railroad Concessions—Explains.

Peking, China, April 26.—When conferences between the Japanese minister to China, Eki Hoiki, and the Chinese foreign minister, Lu Cheng-Hsiang, were resumed today the Japanese minister presented an extended list of 24 demands. This list virtually is an amplification of the original 21 demands and includes even requests for railroad concessions, it is understood, in territory where the lines would compete with British interests.

The Japanese insist that China accept the new list of demands in its entirety but no time limit has been set.

China is making certain military preparations which have been described as "feeble." Great secrecy is maintained as to details.

In Peking the impression obtains among foreign observers that Japan will use force unless China yields.

EXPLANATIONS SENT LONDON

Said to Have Relieved Apprehension in England.

Washington, April 26.—Japan has given to Great Britain a detailed explanation of demands made on China, which according to information obtainable, is said to have relieved apprehension in London and to the scope of the Japanese policy in China.

A report today from Peking that the conference had been resumed and that Japan now had presented 24 demands, including the 21 originally made, was received with much interest in Washington, but officials had no advices from the Chinese capital.

Neither the Japanese embassy nor other diplomatic missions concerned in the negotiations were advised of the situation at Peking today. From a knowledge of previous conferences, however, it was suggested in some quarters that Japan might have asked for an acceptance in principle of her demands, leaving negotiations of details to the future.

It was recalled that early in February such a proposal by Japan met with a flat rejection.

The report from Peking that some railroad concessions now demanded by Japan encroached on the so-called "sphere of influence" of Great Britain in the Yangste valley was offset by confidence here that Japan's explanations to London and Sir Edward Grey's speech in parliament indicated that Japan was in constant communication with her ally, Great Britain.

Since Japan's assurances were received here in the answer to the recent American note of inquiry, some high officials have been of the belief that a satisfactory adjustment of the Japanese-Chinese questions eventually would be reached.

HON. E. J. WATSON HONORED

Elected President of the National Drainage Congress.

Chicago, April 26.—E. J. Watson, commissioners of agriculture and industries of South Carolina, was elected president today of the National Drainage Congress at a meeting of the Congress' board of directors here today.

Headquarters of the Congress were ordered removed from Chicago to Columbia.

SANFORD MAYOR FIRES BULLET THROUGH HEART

Had Spent Day Campaigning for Renomination.

Having Served Four Terms and Feeling Confident of Fifth, Mayor Bass Kills Himself Because of Ill Health.

Sanford, N. C., April 26.—Leaving a written statement that his act was caused by continued ill health, Mayor T. L. Bass, of this city, this afternoon fired a single bullet of a high powered rifle through his heart, killing himself instantly.

He had spent the day on the streets campaigning for his renomination for a fifth term as mayor and expressed himself as confident of winning.

Mr. Bass was prominent in fraternity and church circles and had been active in the business life of Sanford for many years.

He is survived by four sons and a daughter. The sons are Ira T. Bass, Atlanta, Ga.; E. C. Bass, Sanford; Ottis and Addis Bass, Greenville, S. C., and the daughter is Mrs. Virgil Warren, Dunn, N. C.

Admits Having Taken Advice of Former U. S. Senator as to Appointments.

CORRESPONDENCE READ

Jury Hears Letters on All Sorts of Political and Legislative Affairs.

The Colonel Did Little Talking Yesterday.

Syracuse, N. Y., April 26.—Theodore Roosevelt admitted under cross examination today in the trial of William Barnes' suit for alleged libel that while governor he had freely consulted the "boss" of the Republican party in New York State in reference to appointment of officials and on various legislative and political matters. The "boss" named was Thomas C. Platt, who at that time represented New York in the United States Senate.

The former President said he took the advice of the senator in many matters, among them appointing a Democrat to the office of tax commissioner to "please Grady," whom the Colonel described as a "lieutenant boss" of Richard Croker, then leader of Tammany Hall.

The testimony resulted from questions asked after letters of a series that passed between Colonel Roosevelt and Platt had been read to the jury. In these letters both writers discussed all manner of political and legislative affairs. In one, Colonel Roosevelt asked the Senator's advice about making speeches. In another, Senator Platt told the colonel he had received a copy of a bill introduced by Grady, in which the Senator said he considered it inadvisable to give Tammany from $5,000,000 to $12,000,000 in an appropriation to expend upon the water front of New York, as "it would simply be putting an unnecessary club in the hands of those people with which to knock our brains out."

With another letter, the Colonel sent the Senator a proof of his message to the legislature, which dealt with, among other things, public utilities, the franchise tax, the trusts, industrial conditions and labor. The part dealing with the trusts, the Colonel wrote, "had been submitted to several experts," including Elihu Root, President Hadley, of Yale; Prof. Jenks, of Cornell, and James A. Dill, described in the letter as a "big corporation lawyer."

And in the last letter read, which was dated in 1901, Colonel Roosevelt told the senator that he did not wish to be Vice President of the United States as it was not an office he could do anything. The Colonel said he should like to be governor for another term and that "in spite of all the work and worry—and very largely because of your constant courtesy and consideration, my dear Senator—I have thoroughly enjoyed being governor."

The colonel added, not being a money maker, he felt "in honor bound to leave his children the equivalent in a way of a substantial sum of actual achievement in politics or letters."

The Colonel did little talking today. For the most part he sat in the witness chair and listened to counsel for William Barnes read the letters, which it was said, were furnished by a son of Mr. Platt. When the Colonel did talk it was to identify the letters or answer questions concerning them.

The reading of additional correspondence that passed between Colonel Roosevelt and Mr. Platt will begin tomorrow.

Several Letters Introduced.

Colonel Roosevelt's testimony today was preceded by introduction into the record of several letters. One of the letters, written by Barnes to the Colonel, discussed Governor Hughes and said that should Hughes be re-elected he would set up a political machine and that all politicians who opposed him would have to "sneak in the back door or get out of politics."

Roosevelt to Barnes.

Colonel Roosevelt, in his reply, said: "Yesterday I saw Sherman, Bennet, George Smith, Mike Dady, Cocks and Hitchcock, chairman of the National committee, here. I have been carefully going through the Hughes matter since I saw you. I appreciate to the full the force of the argument you urged against his re-nomination. It is not pleasant for me to support a man who has wantonly behaved badly to the very men who did most in securing his election—I would approve his turning them down in the public interest, but I object to its being done wantonly.

"Moreover, I appreciate that he has alienated quite needlessly very many voters, and if we had the right man to put in his place—the right man from the standpoint of getting votes—I should say that it was certainly wise to nominate such a man. But no such man is in sight. * * *

"While, therefore, I want most emphatically to disclaim any intention of seeming to dictate the nomination, I think I ought to tell you that my judgment is that the convention ought to re-nominate him. I am sure that the delegates from this district would be for him. Bennet, Sherman and Dady insist that there is no alternative to his re-nomination. * * *

"I may add that every one present agreed to keep absolutely quiet in this matter and to consult with you, among others, before any kind of conclusion was announced; but from the papers, I should judge some one has talked."

A copy of the above letter was sent to Herbert Parsons.

On August 24, 1908, Colonel Roose-

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Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.

YANKS BEAT BOEHLING BY SUPERIOR HITTING

White Sox Won Fifth Straight Game.

Moved Into Third Place—Weakness of Athletics' Pitching Staff Yielded Game to Boston—Browns Drubbed Tigers.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At New York 9; Washington 2.
At Detroit 1; St. Louis 3.
At Chicago 12; Cleveland 1.
At Boston 9; Philadelphia 2 (7 in.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Cleveland at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W	L	Pct.
Detroit	9	4	.692
New York	6	4	.600
Boston	5	4	.556
Chicago	7	6	.538
Washington	5	5	.500
Cleveland	6	7	.462
Philadelphia	3	6	.333
St. Louis	4	9	.308

New York, April 26.—The New York Americans winning today made it two out of three from Washington. The Yankees beat Boehling with long hits, Phipp tripling with the bases full in the third inning while Cook hit a home run with two on the bases in the seventh. Boehling's home run with McBride on base, accounted for Washington's runs.

Washington .....002 000 000—2 6 5
New York .....003 001 32*—9 12 0

Boehling and Williams; Fisher and Nunemaker.

Chicago, April 26.—The Chicago White Sox won their fifth straight game today, beating Cleveland 12 to 1, and moved into third place. Faber pitched in fine form and was backed up by opportune hitting.

Cleveland .....000 000 100—1 6 2
Chicago .....023 210 04*—12 11 0

Walker, Mitchell, Jones and O'Neill and Billings; Faber and Schalk, Daly.

Boston, April 26.—Weakness shown by Philadelphia pitchers and opportune batting by the locals enabled Boston to defeat Philadelphia 9 to 2 in a seven-inning game today. Rain stopped the contest at the end of the seventh. The feature was Wagner's hitting and fielding.

Philadelphia .....010 001 0—2 5 4
Boston .....005 112 0—9 7 1

Davies, Harper, Bressler and McAvoy; Ruth and Carrigan.

Detroit, April 26.—Austin's single after two men were out in the ninth inning, drove in two runs and gave St. Louis a 3 to 1 victory over Detroit today.

St. Louis .....000 010 002—3 10 1
Detroit .....000 000 010—1 5 1

Wellman and Leary; DuBuc and Baker and Stanage.

MINOR LEAGUES

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

At Atlanta 2, Mobile 1, (12 innings).
At Birmingham 4, New Orleans 6, (11 innings).
At Nashville 12, Little Rock 11 (10 innings).
At Memphis 2, Chattanooga 5.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Augusta 3, Charleston 0. Augusta 1, Charleston 2. (second game seven innings by agreement).
At Savannah 6, Columbia 8. Savannah2, Columbia 1. (Second game seven innings by agreement).
At Columbus 8, Albany 2. Columbus 5, Albany 2.
At Macon 1, Jacksonville 3. Macon 4, Jacksonville 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Louisville 5, Columbus 4.
At Indianapolis 8, Cleveland 5.
At Kansas City 2, Milwaukee 6.
At Minneapolis-St. Paul, rain.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

At Rocky Mount 3, Portsmouth 0.
At Suffolk 0 ,Petersburg 1.
At Norfolk 8, Newport News 15.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

At Greensboro 1, Raleigh 10.
At Charlotte 5, Asheville 11.
At Durham 8, Winston-Salem 7.

COLLEGE GAMES.

At Charlottesville: Virginia 11; Trinity College 10.
At Syracuse 7; Dartmouth 2.
At Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina 6; South Carolina 0.
At Lexington, Va.: Washington and Lee 8; North Carolina A. & M. 4.

Savannah, Ga., April 26.—Samuel Gorden Graham of Washington assistant attorney general of the United States, was the principal speaker today at the exercises attending the unveiling of the monument erected at Midway Cemetery, Liberty county, Ga., in memory of Generals James Screven and Daniel Steward.

New York, April 26.—The $250,000 damage suit brought against Edward N. Breitung, capitalist of Marquette, Mich., and his wife, by Max Frederick Kleist, their son-in-law, a former coachman, was dismissed today by Federal Judge Hough. Kleist charged his parents-in-law with alienating his wife's affections.

Murrq, Ky., April 26.—Fire today destroyed the business district of Hazel, on the Tennessee line. Estimates of the loss run as high as $100,000. W. Ed. White, a business man, was burned so badly while fighting the flames that he may die.

Today—Polvogt's, Tuesday Dollar Sale—Attend and save big money.
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(advertisement.)

ALEXANDER PITCHES PHILLIES TO VICTORY

Third Time This Season Over the Champs.

Gowdy's Bad Throw Stirred Up a Muss—Big Jeff Tesreau Checked Giants' Losing Streak—Chicago and Cincinnati in Battfest.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Philadelphia 7, Boston 4.
At Brooklyn 0 ,New York 3.
At St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 0.
At Cincinnati 13, Chicago 12.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Philadelphia	9	1	.900
Cincinnati	7	3	.727
Chicago	5	6	.455
Boston	5	6	.455
Pittsburgh	4	7	364
St. Louis	6	7	462
Brooklyn	4	7	.364
New York	3	7	.300

Philadelphia, April 26.—Alexander pitched Philadelphia to victory for the third time this season over Boston, the score being 7 to 4. Alexander fanned ten batsmen.

In the eighth inning Gowdy's throw to catch Cravath off third, struck the runner and two men scored. Boston claimed Cravath interfered with the throw. An argument resulted and Umpire Quigley ordered Gowdy, Schmidt and Smith off the field.

Boston .....100 000 120—1 8 2
Philadelphia . . 035 200 02*—7 10 2

Strand and Gowdy; Whaling; Alexander and Killifer.

Cinnati, April 26.—After Chicago had overcome a nine-run lead, Cincinnati by steady playing and consistent hitting in the seventh and eighth innings tied up and passed the visitors, eventually winning 13 to 12 today.

Chicago . . . .010 128 000—12 10 0
Cincinnati . . .730 010 11*—13 14 2

Adams, Schorr, Vaughn and Bresnahan; Brown, Schneider, Dale, Benton and Clarke.

Brooklyn, April 26.—Jeff Tesreau checked the New York's losing streak by winning the final game of the series with Brooklyn today 3 to 0. He allowed the locals two hits.

Dell, who scored a victory over the Giants Thursday when he relieved Rucker, pitched a good game for Brooklyn.

Players Daubert, Stengel and Snodgrass were put off the field for objecting to the umpire's decisions.

New York . . .100 000 011—3 6 2
Brooklyn . . . ...000 000 000—0 2 3

Tesreau and Meyers; Dell and Miller.

St. Louis, April 26.—Timely hitting in today's game won for St. Louis from Pittsburgh 3 to 0. Perdue kept the visitors' hits well scattered.

Pittsburgh . . . .000 000 000—0 8 1
St. Louis . . . . 020 010 00*—3 8 1

Adams, Cooper and Gibson, Schang; Perdue and Snyder.

VIRGINIA MAKES IT TWO STRAIGHT FROM TRINITY

Charlottesville, Va., April 26.—Virginia made it two straight from Trinity College of North Carolina, by winning today's game 11 to 10. The poor showing of the pitchers was attributed to the mid-summer heat prevailing.

Trinity . . ..000 420 22—10 11 4
Virginia . . . .110 003 51—11 51 2

(Eight innings by agreement).

Kanipe , Power, Ernhardt and Maddox, Flannagan, Calloway, Gammon and Ehrman.

GIANTS AWARDED TROPHY

Braves Lost by One Point in Final Games of Post-Series at Boys' Brigade Last Night.

After one of the most exciting games of basketball games ever played at the Boys' Brigade, the Giants last night defeated the Braves by the narrow margin of one point in the final game of the post-series and were awarded the pennant, a beautiful silver cup, donated by Mr. George Honnet. It was nip and tuck from the start and the Braves were one point ahead a half minute before the close when Bruce Cameron threw a goal which gave his team the championship. The two teams were almost evenly matched, each having won one game previous to the contest last night.

Harry Register for the Braves played star ball, having made 17 of their 37 points. Chris Gerdes was the only man on the floor who made no fouls. Bruce Cameron made 14 of the 38 points that went to the Giants. Gallagher for the Giants made only one foul while Cameron made only two.

At the close of the game, Col. Walker Taylor presented the trophy to Capt. Davis, of the Giants in a short speech in which he stressed the fact that the leader of the winning team has at all times exemplified in a splendid way purity and cleanliness of life and character. He congratulated all the players upon their splendid playing.

The Rebels won from the Orioles in their final game last night by a score of 23 to 15. Griffith was the star player in this contest, having made 10 of the 23 points going to his team.

There was a large attendance and the teams received fine support. They had every incentive to do their best and rose nobly to the occasion.

The officers for the games were: Timekeeper, H. L. Dixon; scorer, L. T. Davis; assistant scorers, C. N. Davis and William Montgomery; umpire, E. J. Irving; referee, H. K. King.

CHIFEDS POUNDED OUT SHUT OUT FROM K. C.

Brooklyn Federals Defeat the Terrapins.

Bailey Pounded Hard for Knabemen. Newark Keeps Up Her Fine Lead in Outlaw Circuit—Rain Interferes at Pittsburg.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Newark 5; Buffalo 2.
At Brooklyn 8; Baltimore 4.
At Pittsburg-St. Louis, rain.
At Chicago 7; Kansas City 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Kansas City at Chicago.
Baltimore at Brooklyn.
Buffalo at Newark.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W	L	Pct.
Newark	11	4	.733
Chicago	7	4	.636
Pittsburg	8	5	.615
Brooklyn	7	6	.538
Kansas City	6	7	.462
Buffalo	5	9	.357
Baltimore	5	9	.357
St. Louis	3	8	.273

Chicago, April 26.—Chicago pounded out a 7 to 0 victory over Kansas City here today, McConnell pitching airtight ball for the locals.

Kansas City .....000 000 000—0 5 1
Chicago .....010 010 14*—7 12 1

Packard, Henning and Brown; McConnell and Wilson.

Brooklyn, April 26.—The Brooklyn Federals defeated Baltimore 8 to 4 here today, Bailey weakening in the sixth and seventh and being pounded for nine hits and eight runs.

Baltimore .....000 010 030—4 12 1
Brooklyn .....000 002 06*—8 11 1

Bailey, Conley and Owens; LaFitte and Land.

Newark, April 26.—Newark won today from Buffalo 5 to 2 after the game was held up for 20 minutes by rain.

Buffalo .....100 000 100—2 8 3
Newark .....000 004 10*—5 6 0

Woodman, Krapp and Blair; Mullin and Rariden.

ROCKY MOUNT AT HOME SHUTS OUT PORTSMOUTH

First League Game of Season on "Homers'" Diamond.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 26.—McLeary, on the mound for the visitors, yielded two hits in the opening game which cost him one score, while Eisel and Snider pounded over the right field fence for the Homers, in each instance with nobody on.

Pope, the Harnett county boy, yielded but two hits in an inning and but once was there a possible look in at scoring and then in the seventh with Strain on second and nobody out, Whitted flied easy to left while Trey and McLeary were retired on strikes.

Portsmouth . . .000 000 000—0 5 1
Rocky Mount . . .100 101 00*—3 8 1

Home runs, Eisel Snider; Double plays, Damrah to Trey to Hurley. Bases on balls, Pope 3, McLeary 2. Struck out, by Pope 11, by McLeary 4. Stolen bases, Tally, Eisel. Left on bases, Rocky Mount 3, Portsmouth 8. Time, 1:45. Umpire Ruhlard. Attendance, official 876, ladies 190. Batteries, Pope, Ryan; McLeary, Fish.

ELON COLLEGE WINS FROM WOFFORD COLLEGE 5 TO 6.

Elon College, N. C., April 26.—Elon won from Wofford today 5 to 6 in a slow but spectacular game. Massey, Elon's crack second baseman, did seven frames of artillery work and won his game. Finch got a home run. No Wofford man got more than a single.

Score by innings:

Wofford .....120 110 000—5 7 3
Elon .....202 020 000—6 9 5

Elon, Sorrells, Bailey, Massey and Stephenson; Wofford, Eaddy and Bronson; umpire, Convery, of Winston-Salem.

MACK THROUGH WITH BAKER BUT WOULD NOT SELL HIM

Boston, Mass., April 26.—Connie Mack said here today that so long as he remained at the head of the Philadelphia Athletics, J. Franklin Baker would not be a member of the tea m .

"I am through with Baker as a ball player," Mack added, "and it is my intention not to allow him to become the property of any other team in the American League. I would not sell him for $1,000,000 cash."

Late in the winteretaoishrdluupjnp his intention of retiring fro mbasebaH, but, according to Mack, he played on the Upland team of the Delaware County League, Pennsylvania, on Saturday.

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GERMANS CAPTURE OVER A THOUSAND CANADIANS

In Successful Fighting Around Ypres, Belgium.

Total Number of Prisoners Has Risen to 5,000, According to Berlin Wireless Report—Forty-Five Cannon Taken.

Berlin, April 26. (by Wireless)—In the official statement given out today by the German general army headquarters it was announced that more than 1,000 Canadians had been captured in the fighting around Ypres, Belgium.

The text of the statement follows:

"The Germans hold Lizerne, on the west bank of the canal which the French pretend to have re-conquered. Also on the east of the canal, the conquered terrain remains in the possession of the Germans. The number of cannon taken by the Germans rose to 45, including four English.

"Northwest of Sonnebecke, the German attacks continue. More than 1,000 Canadian were taken prisoners. The total number of prisoners rose to 5,000. They include Senegal negroes, Turcos, Hindus, French, Canadians, Zouaves, and Algerians.

"In the Champagne region, north of Beausejour, two French night attacks were repulsed.

"On the Meuse heights the German attacks progressed along several mountain saddles until the height to the west of Les Enarges was taken by storm. Several hundred French soldiers were taken prisoner. Several machine guns also were captured.

"In the Ailley forest the enemy's advances failed.

"In the Vosges, the Germans took back Hartmans-Weilerkopf. In this engagement 749 French soldiers were made prisoner and six mine throwers and four machine guns captured.

"Northwest of Ciechanow feeble Russian night attacks were repulsed and the situation on the east front remains unchanged."

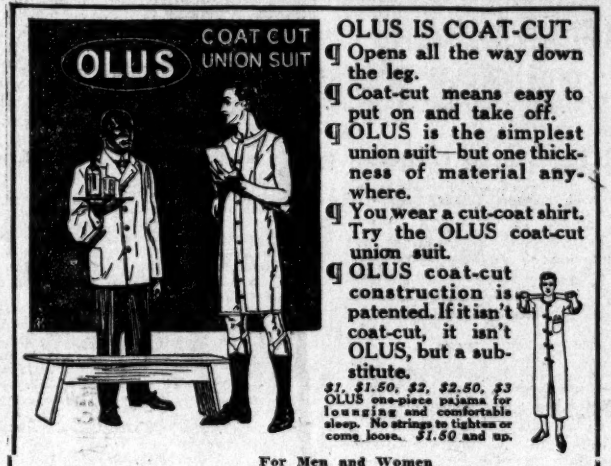
CHAUTAUQUA AT FAYETTEVILLE

Attendance Twice That of Last Year and Increasing.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 25.—Fayetteville's second season of the Chautauqua is proving even more of a distinct success than its first season last year, and the women of the Civic Association, under whose auspices it is being held, are being congratulated by everybody, including themselves. Forty-eight hours before the opening the Civic Association had sold the number of tickets guaranteed by them. Not only was the opening attendance twice as large as that of last year, but it is continuing to increase.

Dollar Sale today at Polvogt's. The C. W. Polvogt Company will begin today a series of Tuesday Dollar Sales. Last year these sales attracted big crowds and today being the first of their series, we predict a record breaking crowd. Ladies' muslin Underwear worth 75 cents are to be sold, two for $1. Ladies $1.50 shirt waists, for $1. Fifty cent ribbons, four yards for a dollar. Silks, table linens, towels, carpets, rugs, laces and hosiery, all have the Dollar Day price on them. ap27-1t
(Advertisement.)



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WILL UNVEIL STATUE OF GENERAL GREEN

On Guilford Battle Ground July 4th.

Woman Suffragists Will Have Representation at State Fair—Accident at Beaufort—New Charters. Raleigh News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 26.—Letters received here from Paul W. Schenck, Greensboro, are to the effect that the Federal authorities at Washington have just given him every assurance that the statue of General Green, of Revolutionary War fame, will be ready for the unveiling ceremonies to be held in connection with the Guilford Battle Ground celebration July 4th. An exctionally elaborate programme is being planned.

Secretary Pogue, of the State Fair, says the North Carolina Suffrage League has, through its president, Mrs. Archibald Henderson, of Chapel Hill, made application for permission to have a "Suffrage Headquarters" at the 1915 Fair. They also want to arrange for some kind of a parade or other special demonstration. The Executive Committee has granted them the permission to arrange for the representation they want.

Mr. S. W. Wade, chief clerk in the State Department of Insurance, received a telegram this morning from Beaufort that his brother, D. B. Wade, Jr., was recovering nicely from his narrow escape from drowning Sunday when he went overboard from a launch by being struck by E. C. Carr, of Lancaster Co., Pa., as he slipped from the cabin into the water and lost his life. Mr. Wade says his brother is ordinarily an expert swimmer and actually saved two or three persons from drowning last summer. He thinks it evident that his brother was startled and stunned as he slipped from the boat to such an extent that he did not have his faculties under control to rally either to the capacity of saving himself or Mr. Barr, who could not swim.

Two corporations were chartered today as follows:

The Paragon Drug Co., of Henderson, capital $100,000 authorized, and $6,000 subscribed by C. E. Page, T. H. May and J. H. Kelly.

The Moore Springs Development Co., principal office Greensboro, capital $100,000 authorized and $3,000 subscribed by W. S. Moore, of Moore Springs; J. T. Moore, Rural Hall, and C. E. Moore, Greensboro. The company has authority to develop real estate generally.

As an indication of the return of prosperity in this state there were issued licenses today for 25 new automobiles, applications for which came in over Sunday. The license numbers have climbed now to No. 15,850.

In the Supreme Court today was argued the case of State vs. Allison, from Iredell county, in which a negro, Abe Allison, is under death sentence for entering a dwelling for the purpose of committing a criminal outrage on Mrs. J. Roy Kennerly, who, with three small children, were living alone while Mr. Kennerly was working away from home. They lived 21 miles from Statesville. The negro is under sentence of death.

BARACAS AND PHILATHEAS TO PUSH CAUSE MORE VIGOROUSLY

Field Secretary to be Engaged for Full Time—Convention Features.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 26. — The North Carolina Baraca-Philathea convention completed its fifth annual session Sunday night and adjourned to meet in 1915 in Goldsboro, the six hundred and more delegates who were here declaring this decidedly the most interesting and effective session in the history of the State organization.

Under the leadership of the executive committee, which is headed by R. N. Simms, of Raleigh, and Miss Christine Thomas, of Henderson, in conjunction with the other officers of the association, a vigorous campaign for the next year is being planned, an especially notable advance being the employment of a field secretary to devote his time to the organization of new classes in the Sunday schools and the stirring to greater usefulness and activity the classes already organized.

The last day of the convention was full of features. Delegates attended church services as they pleased in the forenoon. There were separate sessions of the Baraca and Philathea in the early afternoon, the Baraca at the First Baptist church and the Philathea at Edenton Street Methodist church. The Philatheas heard a stirring address on "The Community Service of the Class," by Dr. J. L. Mann, of Greensboro, and the Baracas heard an inspiring address on "The Baraca Class from the Viewpoint of the Superintendent," by J. M. Broughton, Jr., superintendent of the Tabernacle Baptist Sunday school.

These separate sessions of the convention merged at 4:30 o'clock in a stupendous street parade that filed around the State House, down Fayetteville street to the city auditorium, where there was a big mass meeting. The sermon, a stirring discourse, was by Dr. Gilbert T. Rowe, of High Point. The subject was "The One Thing Needful."

The farewell service took place at Tabernacle Baptist church last night. There were short addresses by Prof. J. Henry Highsmith, of Wake Forest College; Rev. J. L. Jenkins, Lumber Bridge, and Rev. F. T. Collins, of Clinton. Then there was a prayer, praise and testimony service, led by Miss Flossie Byrd, and the singing of "Blest be the Tie That Binds."

MOTHER TELLS HOW VINOL

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New York City.—"My little boy was in a very weak, delicate condition as a result of gastritis and the measles and there seemed no hope of saving his life. The doctor prescribed cod liver oil but he could not take it. I decided to try Vinol—and with splendid results. It seemed to agree with him so that now he is a strong healthy boy."—Mrs. THOMAS FITZGERALD, 1090 Park Ave., N. Y. City.

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E. C. BARR, OF VIRGINIA DROWNED AT MOREHEAD CITY.

Mr. D. B. Wade Rescued After Going Down Third Time.

Morehead City, N. C., April 26.—Mr. E. C. Barr, of Lancaster county, Va., was drowned here Sunday afternoon and Mr. D. B. Wade, Jr., of this city, was rescued after having gone down the third time.

Mr. Wade left here early in the morning with a party, composed of Messrs. E. C. Barr, of Lancaster, Va., and T. G. Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., both of whom are foremen on the sewer construction work now in progress here, and Mr. Ned Willis, of this city. They had been to Shackleford banks and it was while they were crossing the inlet that Mr. Barr accidentally slipped off the cabin striking Mr. Wade, who was sitting on the deck, both men falling overboard.

Members of the Coast Guard who were watching, immediately put out in one of thei fastest life boats for the scene of the accident. In the meantime Willis and Phillips had stopped the engine in the boat and were making frantic efforts to save their companions by throwing several life preservers to the men in the water. Mr. Willis made an effort to swim to Mr. Barr, who couldn't swim, but after having seen him sink Mr. Willis returned to the boat. At this point the life boat had reached the scene and after Mr. Wade had sunk the third time Captain Leslie Moore, of the Coast Guards, dived to save him, reaching him about 15 feet below the surface of the water. When brought to the top and placed in the life boat Mr. Wade was apparently dead, but efforts of resuscitation finally revived him.

ACCIDENT AT FORT CASWELL

May Mean Abandonment of Present Efforts for Pure Water Supply.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., April 26.—The Pure Water Company, which has had the contract to supply Fort Caswell with water, has for the time at least given up its work. It appeared as though last week the company had attained its purpose in making good its contract. The quality of water was excellent, and the machinery for making salt water into fresh water gave every sign of being able to reach the daily capacity called for in the contract.

The government was notified to come and take a look, and Saturday was the day. Late that night while the conversion of salt into fresh water was going on, there was an explosion and a portion of a valve was blown off some distance, scalding an employe.

An examination found the break beyond repair except at a cost greater than the contractor cared to make without some consultation with the other parties in Philadelphia, so a shut-down has been made.

It is said the government has granted the contracting firm until June 30 to try again, but it looks as though there would be no attempt to take up the work again by the present contractors.

A great deal of money has been spent in this work. The process has been successful at other places. The plant erected at the Fort is the largest of its kind ever built, and it is thought that the demand, daily, has been too much for the plant with present arrangement.

EPWORTH LEAGUE AT BOLTON

Recently Organized by Mr. E. A. Palmgren With 35 Charter Members.

Bolton, N. C., April 26.—The first meeting of the Bolton Epworth League, organized a week before by Mr. E. A. Palmgren, president of the State League, was held yesterday and the superintendents of the various departments were elected: Miss Arlene Barber, department of spiritual work; Miss Lillie Auger department of social service; Miss May Gates, department of recreation and culture; Mr. J. B. Rogers, department of missionary work, and Miss Esther Merritt agent for the Epworth Era.

There were 35 members secured the day the league was organized and they are looking forward to some good work. The officers of the league are: Mr. John Lewis, president; Mr. D. W. Merritt, vice president; Mr. S. G. Adams, secretary; Mr. J. W. Allen, corresponding secretary, and Mr. R. W. Scott, treasurer.

Washington, April 26.—Comptroller Williams today appointed State Senator B. F. Buchanan, of Marion, Va., counsel for all receivers of insolvent national banks succeeding M. C. Elliott, who has become counsel for the Federal Reserve Board.

Washington, April 26.—None of the important cases before the Supreme court was disposed of in the decisions today, which covered only small actions.

JOHN BUNNY IS DEAD IN HIS HOME IN BROOKLYN

Movie Comedian Whose Antics Made Millions Laugh.

Breakdown Which Caused Death Believed to Have Been Due to Strenuous Work—Salary Larger Than President's?

New York, April 26.—John Bunny, whose antics as a moving picture comedian have made millions laugh, died at his home in Brooklyn today. He had been ill for three weeks from a complication of diseases. Members of his family were with him when he died. For a week he apparently had been on the mend.

A strenuous month of work, it is believed, caused the breakdown which resulted in his death.

John Bunny was 52 years old. He had been before the footlights 29 years before he entered the moving picture field four years ago. He had leading roles with many old-time stars, among them Annie Russell. He had attained country-wide popularity as an actor before he achieved his greatest success on the screen.

Mr. Bunny was born in New York city of English parents, was educated in the Brooklyn public schools and was a clerk in a general store until he went on the stage at the age of 19.

In the moving picture world he was regarded for a time as the country's leading comedian, and was said to be drawing more salary than the President of the United States. He will be buried in Brooklyn.

TRUCK SUFFERING FOR RAIN

Strawberries and Vegetables Being Cut Off—Lighting at Mt. Olive.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, April 26.—According to what now seems to be an almost unanimous opinion among truck growers in this section, unless there is rain within a very few days, the strawberry and other early vegetable crops are going to suffer and their yield be considerably cut off.

According to arrangements already perfected, citizens of Mount Olive hope to have the benefit of electrical power by day as well as by night, not later than July 1. A contract has been entered into with the Enterprise Lumber Company, whose plant is located in the extreme southern part of the town, and who will at once install a large dynamo for the purpose of furnishing electricity to propel some of their own machinery, to furnish the electricity for lighting the town by night and a day current for the benefit of those who may use it. According to this arrangement the city's power plant will, after the above-named arrangement has been perfected, be used only in emergency cases.

ELECTRIC CURRENT RATES.

New Schedule in Effect in Wilson for Cooking and Heating.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 26.—With the coming of the summer, the board of city commissioners has adopted a new schedule of electric current charges applicable especially for cooking and heating. Hereafter current will be sold for that specific purpose for 3 cents per kilowatt hour—a separate meter being installed. The rate for lights is 10 cents with a discount of 10 per cent on bills under $10. Larger discounts apply to large bills.

Wilson, N. C., April 26.—The county commissioners are having the road from Wilson to the Wayne county line surveyed and when built this road will connect with the new sand-clay road recently completed by the Wayne county authorities. The new road will be shorter and bring the distance down to 12 miles.

Germs Can't Stay With This Treatment

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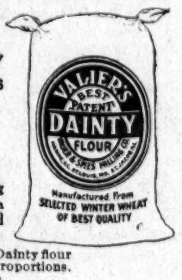

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That court at Syracuse would suit Roosevelt if it would non-suit Barnes.

A city has no ambition unless its citizens have the ambition for which their city can get the credit.

The beginning of the war in Europe is about at an end. Probably the end of the war has commenced.

Our idea of a priceless heritage is to be in full possession of one for which nobody would give us a cent.

A man should not be so selfish as to itnern his friendship when one of his friends is in a sea of trouble.

No man should imagine that men are going to chase him around to get his photograph. Their real object is to get his goat.

An exchange notes that ladies are accused of buying votes in Illinois. First thing you know a lot of Illinois ladies will have to wear stripes.

The Columbia State remarks that "lawyers are scarcer in South Carolina than in any other State." Probably the State paper ignores numerous members of the bar who hope to be lawyers.

A writer on political economy again asserts that "the office should seek the man." However, if the offices should begin to do that, the lawyers wouldn't have anything but the law to attend to.

Probably the Barnes vs. Roosevelt jury might follow the example of a Georgia jury which rendered a verdict like this: "'Pears to us narry one ain't innocent and it's our idee that both should be made to pay the costs."

In the matter of their allegations concerning the discovery of the North Pole, Rear Admiral Peary out-talked Dr. Cook. However, Peary has started a discussion in which the Hon. William Jennings Bryan has taken the negative in a manner that will soon have Peary at sea.

A man who made lanterns by hand laid the foundation of a factory which made him a millionaire. He died a few days ago and his monument is a great industry employing hundreds of people. Such benefactors of working people and communities deserve to get in the millionaire class.

Every time we assume an attitude of virtuous disapproval of the way that nations violate each other's neutrality and integrity, some pernicious prober into precedents reminds us of how we took Panama from Colombia when it was the only way we had to make a dash across the isthmus so we could vastly increase the power of our navy. People who recollect things are always reminding us of what we would prefer to forget and "let it all pass."

Lieutenant P. N. L. Bellinger, U. S. N., went up 10,000 feet in the air on Friday at the naval aeronautic station at Pensacola. He flew in a hydro-aeroplane and made what is believed to be a new world record. Lieutenant Bellinger is a South Carolinian, but we are glad to note that his reputation for going up in the air is different from the experiences of the average South Carolinian who used to go up in the air till Governor Manning corralled them in a hanger that will hold them for a while.

Those who have been reading certain magazines and other publications have read the anti-Daniels side of the question of whether the United States Navy is becoming stronger or weaker. In the Monday morning Star they have the opportunity to read the Secretary's detailed account of his stewardship for two years. That is the other side of the question. No man who is disposed to be fair, or who is fit to sit on a jury, will pass judgment on the question until he shall have read the testimony of the principal witness for the defense. The judgment of a man who is not willing to hear and weigh the evidence on both sides is worthy of no attention.

REASONS FOR THE ATTACKS ON DANIELS

Congressman Clyde H. Tavenner, of Illinois, the well known Washington newspaper correspondent who was elected by the people of his district to a seat in the House of Representatives, has made public some facts which may have direct connection with the attacks that are being made upon Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

In the first place, those who were familiar with Mr. Daniels' newspaper policy during the last dozen and more years prior to his appointment to a place in the Wilson cabinet know that he made enemies. "In season and out" he persistently waged warfare on the Republican party and on trusts. These two were inseparably linked together by bonds of common interest. The various trusts represented the great financial interests of the Nation. A fight against a trust was a fight against the money powers. Of course, Mr. Daniels' fights had little or no effect outside of North Carolina but they elicited the animosity of the men connected with the trusts, and they are human beings with human propensities.

It was not to be expected that these long-time enemies of Editor Daniels should become the friends of Secretary of the Navy Daniels, nor that his promotion to the place in the President's cabinet should cause them to forget his fights of by-gone years. The same men and interests which Daniels fought are back of and actually control many of the magazines and great newspapers of the country. Is it anything but natural that these publications should "move heaven and earth" if need be in their efforts to discount the service of the Secretary of the Navy and to nullify his influence, especially when every blow they can administer to him is a blow to the Democratic administration—the arch enemy of trusts and of the Republican party which fostered the trusts?

In addition to all this, Congressman Tavenner has pointed out that Secretary Daniels is, with one exception, the only secretary of the navy that he can find any trace of who has ever made a real fight to escape the extortions of the armor and ammunition rings," composed, he says of the Bethlehem Steel Company, the Midvale Steel Company and the Carnegie Steel Company, which three firms Mr. Tavenner says, exclusive of their "subsidiary war trafficking auxiliaries," have drawn down since 1897 from the Navy Department alone, for the single item of armor plate, contracts aggregating more than 35 million dollars. Secretary Daniels has proven to the country that much of the enormous sum which the government has paid to these concerns has been in extortionate charges, because when contracts were to be awarded they were the only bidders and there seemed to have been an understanding among them that resulted in the division of the contracts among the three. Early in the Wilson administration he uncovered what he considered evidence that these firms were not competitors for the government contracts. This was in the matter of armor plate.

However, that was not the only line of business of these concerns in which the new Secretary of the Navy interfered to save money to the 100,000,000 people of the Nation. Realizing the government was being overcharged for turbine rotary drums, Secretary Daniels induced an independent English firm to submit a bid. The Bethlehem and Midvale companies bid $169,568 and $160,272, respectively, while the English firm offered to furnish the drums for $57,436, a saving of $102,836 to the government over the lowest bid of the "ring," so Mr. Havenner tells us. He further says:

"Recently the Secretary awarded a contract for building 100 torpedo flasks, including heads. He induced a new firm to slip in with a bid, and was able to purchase for $58,246 materials which under normal conditions would have cost $115,075. The bids of the Bethlehem and Midvale companies, under real competitive bidding, showed a reduction of 44 per cent., compared with bids for similar forgings submitted by those companies only four months previous."

The Illinois congressman further points out that the government has in past years been paying "the ring" $17.50 for a shrapnel when it can manufacture and is now manufacturing the identical article for $7.94, and paying the same parties $7 for fuses which the government is now manufacturing for $2.92.

These illustrations are not exceptional, Mr. Tavenner declares. This he goes on to show by the fact that "on a contract given to Frankford arsenal for ammunition valued at $1,900,064 we are saving $979,840; or, in other words, we are saving approximately $1,000,000, on a $2,000,000 order as compared with what it would have cost had that contract been awarded the ammunition ring."

To summarize: Mr. Daniels years ago won a national reputation as a fighter of trusts and trust methods as well as of the Republican party which fostered them and protected them. These interests have lost millions of dollars since he has been Secretary of the Navy and are likely to lose a few more millions which his policy saves to the Nation in the purchase of war materials. These interests are representatives of the money power of the country. The great financial interests of the nation are back of and actually control the policy of many of the magazines and big metropolitan newspapers. From these sources come the vicious attacks upon the Secretary of the Navy. Isn't it plain enough for even a man of far less than average intelligence to see through it?

There is a reason why the banana has a name that will rhyme with the names of a great many people where bananas are grown. Any poet can rhyme banana with "manana."

HARVESTING HAY HERE NOW.

New Hanover's hay harvest season is here. Alfalfa is ready for its first cutting and vetch and oats mixed in a riot of luxuriance are ready for the mowing machine. At his model farm on the Market Street road, Capt. E. D. Williams has two fine forage crops which will be cut and cured in a few days. He does not need the hay, because he has enough of last year's alfalfa and vetch forage to last another year. However, alfalfa and vetch and oats have to be cut here during the latter part of April simply because the fields are in need of mowing.

In order that the bucological editor of The Star might see alfalfa, vetch and oats from 18 to 36 inches high on the 26th of April, Captain Williams notified him that it was his last chance to go out before the mowing machine spoils the sight. Accompanied by Captain Williams and Mr. G. A. Cardwell, agricultural and immigration agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, we went out yesterday and saw something that would have delighted the beautiful and charming Maud Muller, whose job was "raking hay."

Of course, it was nothing new to us to view alfalfa, vetch and oats ready for the reaper in April, for every year about this time we make a pilgrimage to Captain Williams' pretty suburban place, a mile or more beyond the city limits. It makes Captain Williams feel good when he is ready to cut hay while other farmers are buying hay made way out West and still farther away—even in Canada. He loves to show people how he keeps his money at home by growing hay for less than the freight charges on hay from the West.

As soon as we came to Captain Williams' attractive place, we got a glimpse of his growing truck and forage crops and his fine cattle and poultry, the whole making one long to be a suburbanite in such an incomparable surrounding country as lies all around Wilmington. Right beside the road, red clover in full bloom covered the ground to a heighth of 18 to 22 inches, yet the clover was only to be incidentally seen on the side. It was the alfalfa and vetch and oats crops that were the principal objects or our visit. There they were in all their luxuriant growth, literally covering the ground and making cutting necessary right away.

One acre contains alfalfa growing by itself, while another contains vetch and oats mixed. It was hard to tell which was the prettier. Captain Williams' alfalfa crop is even more luxuriant than it was last season at its first cutting. Last year he cut three crops of alfalfa from that piece of land and got 11 two-horse wagon loads of fine hay. He estimates that his three cuttings made him more than five tons of hay, valued at about $150, as hay is retailed in this county to farmers who don't know they can save all sorts of money by growing their own hay.

When Captain Williams mows his vetch and oats, he will turn under the land and plant some other crop—probably two or three different kinds between now and the latter part of October. He always gets three or four different crops off the same generous soil, and verily it seems to be tickled at the idea of doing its best with everything that grows in this versatile region.

The unequalled capabilities of this country for growing forage crops demonstrates its ideal adaptability for cattle raising and dairying. Not only is hay ready for harvesting now, but during the entire winter there is green grazing for cattle. Captain Williams has a number of high grade cows and their splendid condition and their bounteous milk and butter production every day in the year proclaims the ideal conditions which so happily blend in grazing crops, forage production and dairying and cattle raising.

THE WORLD'S JOURNALISM.

Journalism is the dignified name for newspaper work, generally used by amateurs, and because of its academic tone, universally adopted by colleges and universities that essay to teach this subject. However, in spite of the fact that schools of journalism necessarily have to deal with the theoretical side of the job, so to speak, they are becoming a vital force in our institutions of higher learning.

The University of Missouri has for some time been publishing a series of bulletins on newspaper work. The last one was prepared by Walter Williams, dean of the school of journalism of that institution. Dr. Williams—we presume he is a doctor—made a world tour last year, and the bulletin summarizes in brief some notes of observation made in visiting nearly 2,000 newspaper offices in all parts of the globe. Dr. Williams did his work most admirably and in a few pages manages to present a composite picture of the world's journalism. We pardon the word as used by him because, perhaps, he could not find one that would have suited better.

With the insight of a trained newspaper man, he defines journalism as the portrait record of the life and interests of humanity, expression of contemporary thought, interpretation of a people's heart and mind. Sometimes the record is blurred or blotched, he finds, the expression distorted and unfair, the interpretation stifled and inaccurate. The journalist, or the newspaper man, if you please, he continues, who is by turn and in different place, recorder, advocate, buyer and seller of news, entertainer, judge, tribune, teacher, interpreter, public servant, has all countries for his own.

Journalism, universal in its concern, existence and appeal, he declares enthusiastically, is a world-profession. As a world-profession, he finds that it is fairly representative. The last deduction is a perfectly natural one to make, of course.

With a distinct optimism, born of the newspaper man that he is, the doctor concludes that altogether, whatever the apparent exceptions, journalism is everywhere better than the average man would make it, if it has not everywhere attained to what the best could wish. He sums it all up by saying that the tendency in the world's journalism is toward higher things.

THE CHINESE BUSINESS COMMISSION.

The prospects of increasing the mutual trade relations between the United States and china were never better than now, if the Japanese-Chinese controversy now in progress does not alter the commercial situation in the Orient. Japan gives assurance that her relations with China will not affect her full trade rights with all countries, and if it turns out that way, perhaps China can go forward and achieve the wonderful development upon which she has evidently started.

We don't have to hunt up China's trade, because some of China's shrewd and able business men are coming here to get trade, industrial and commercial glimpses of this country for their own benefit and also for ours as well. The Chinese Business Commission will soon visit many portions of this country. After spending a while in Washington, the Oriental business men and financiers will tour the country. They are greatly interested in the industrial system prevailing in America and consequently have been invited to visit our greatest industrial centers.

However, China has a special interest in the South, for she is consuming annually an ever-increasing amount of our cotton. The Chinese Commission should be particularly interested in our South Atlantic cotton ports, especially as the Panama Canal puts them in much closer relations with China for an interchange of exports and imports. Savannah has invited a visit from the commission, and it would be well for Wilmington to invite them here so they can get a line on the opportunities here for direct trade between China and the South Atlantic.

ENDORSES CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY.

To the Editor of The Star:

I wish to say amen to what "A Farmer" had to say in your paper last week in advocating a co-operative creamery in Wilmington. He struck the keynote and I hope that from his sounding this note we may hear the welkin ring with the lowing of 500 of the finest milk cows to be had. Yes, our farmers can by a little preparation easily take care of the cows and realize a fine profit from them. There is need for the farmer to go back to the safe and profitable way of farming. The guano bills of some of our farmers for this year would buy several first class cows and these cows would build the land and help to produce better crops next year besides yielding the farmer a handsome dividend on his money.

We need these cattle in our business. There is no reason why we can't have them. Let's get to making ready. The cow is the last thing we need to buy in getting ready. The Southern farmers so often get the cart before the horse in such undertakings. Begin right by building a permanent pasture. The best pastures in the South are perhaps those which in the summer consists of Bermuda grass and Lespedeza or Japan clover. With the addition of red top clover, sweet clover or hairy vetch, such pastures can be grazed the year round. The Bermuda grass and Japan clover grows in the summer and the others mostly in the winter.

Haying started our pasture we should build the necessary barns. They need not be expensive but should be sanitary. The silo is an important need though in our climate it is not as necessary as the permanent pasture for our grazing season is much longer than the dormant season. We need to understand just how many cows we can care for without having to buy our feeds except the concentrated feeds, such as cotton seed meal, bran, etc. In most cases from one to five cows can be thus cared for and milked without any extra help. A number of our farmers have open land sufficient to care for from 10 to 20 cows, but this would require extra help which, of course, would be justified by extra profits.

Yes, we need and can have a co-operative creamery in Wilmington and I am anxious to see it started, but I do not want to see one furnished with cream produced by Western-fed cows. The Western-fed cows could not produce cream that could compete with the Hickory cream produced by home-fed cows and it would fail and hinder us from having a real profitable creamery for a long time.

Let's get right—start right—keep right and succeed right by beginning right with our co-operative creamery. I am confident that we could get some of our business men interested in this industry if we will begin on right principles. I do not think that a good business man would care to put money in it if we did not get good cows—the best cows—not what Tom, Dick and Harry might call good because they had them for sale—but because they produce the best milk and cream.

Have some man from the agricultural department who could not be interested other than in getting us started right with profitable cows to buy them for us. We can get assistance without cost.

Mr. Farmer, let me suggest that you say when we shall have a meeting and call together all the farmers who are interested and get Mr. Curtis or some of his assistants to come down and talk to us about plans, etc.

Yours for a co-operative creamery furnished with cream from a herd of the best cows obtainable, fed on New Hanover raised grass and hay, milked by New Hanover boys and sold to New Hanover merchants and consumed by New Hanover maidens, paid for with New Hanover money and the profits deposited in New Hanover banks.

Yaurs truly,
J. P. HERRING.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

Col. Roosevelt was anxious at one time to keep the Republican party together and "minimize the centrifugal influences within the party and prevent it flying asunder;" but later on he decided to become the centrifugal influence himself.—Greensboro News.

Mr. Alvin J. Reed, in a circular letter on the development of the creamery industry in North Carolina, says that all the creameries are located in the western part of the State. We believe that one of these enterprises is being started in Wilmington. It is strange that the eastern counties are so far behind in appreciation of the money-making qualities of the creamery. Mr. Reed quotes the cream separator people as saying that "North Carolina is our idea of the promised land." And the cotton farmer speaks truly when he says that better days are coming if cotton never gets any higher, for with a creamery check coming in every month he does not mind the separator agents or the supply man and the cow makes better fertilizer than he can buy so he is just saving the cotton and is living on cream.—Charlotte Observer.

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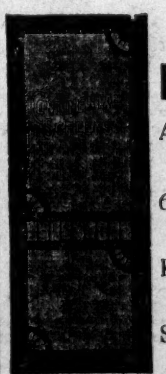

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Each year for the past five or six years the local fish dealers have applied to the government for a supply of shad fry to re-stock the local waters, but by reason of the fact that the fishing laws of the State did not furnish adequate protection for the industry, the government declined to cooperate and refused to furnish fish for the local streams.

Following the passage of the Statewide fisheries bill at the last General Assembly, creating a Fish Commission to have control over all waters of the State, the government, through the Bureau of Fisheries, immediately signified its willingness to co-operate in fish propagation for the North Carolina waters.

Messrs. D. J. Fergus, W. H. Yopp and J. B. Fales, local fish dealers and packers, immediately put in their applications for shad fry, Mr. Fergus for the Cape Fear; Mr. Fales for the Northeast river, and Mr. Yopp for the Black river. They were promptly notified that their applications had been granted and that the fish would be supplied from the government hatchery, located at Edenton, N. C. Yesterday they received telegrams notifying them that the fish would arrive on the 9:50 train this morning and asking that each applicant have receptacles sufficient to hold 60 gallons at the train to receive the baby fish for distribution.

Messrs. Yopp, Fergus and Fales will meet the train this morning with the necessary receptacles and will immediately transfer the shad fry to a power boat and proceed up the rivers to distribute the fish. A part of the consignment will be liberated in the Cape Fear river, a part in the Northeast river and the remainder in the Black river. They will go up as far as 14 miles agove Wilmington in distributing the fish.

The gentlemen estimate that there will be at least 6,000,000 baby shad in the lot to arrive today.

These fish will remain in the local waters until the coming fall, when they will migrate down stream and out to sea. They will remain in salt water for three years, at which age they attain maturity, and will then return to their native waters to spawn. The shad share this habit of always returning to the stream where they grew up with the salmon and a few other varieties of fish. The government bureau of fisheries has demonstrated time and again that the shad returns to its native waters on attaining maturity by tagging the fish just before they are large enough to leave the fresh water, and also by tagging the full grown specimens on the occasion of their returning to fresh water to spawn, and by catching the tagged fish in the same waters several years afterwards, or the next year, as the case may be.

It will only be a few years, the local fish men say, until the waters hereabouts will teem with shad as in the past. With the protection afforded by the Fish Commission and with the cooperation of the government, it will require only a short time to amply restock the Cape Fear, Northeast and black rivers.

In this connection, they are looking forward to seeing a government hatchery located on the Cape Fear next year or the year following. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, who worked untiringly for the passage of the State Fish Commission bill and who is a member of the Commission, has taken the matter up with the government bureau of fisheries and has been promised that a hatchery will be established on the Cape Fear.

SUMMER COTTAGE FOR Y. W. C. A.

Board of Directors Will Meet Tomorrow to Consider Plans.

There will be a called meeting of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of considering plans for a summer cottage at Wrightsville Beach. At a meeting of the extension committee, yesterday morning, tentative plans were made which will be submitted to the directors for their consideration. It is expected that the cottage will be opened about June 1st, and it will be placed in charge of a hostess.

There are several groups of young ladies who desire to have house parties during May and it is planned to arrange to accommodate them. There are several cottages available and a selection will be made by the directors tomorrow. This will be one of the most popular features of the association during the summer months. The name will not be decided upon until later, as it is planned to have a contest in which a suitable prize will be given to the person submitting the name selected.

Shoe Stores to Close Early.

Five Wilmington shoe merchants have agreed to close their places of business at 6 P. M. from May 1st until October 1st and at 6:30 P. M. from October 1st until May 1st, 1915, with the exception of Saturdays and the first day of each month. They have also agreed to close at 11 o'clock on Saturday nights the year round with the exception of special Saturdays. The firms entering into the agreement are: Wilmington Shoe Co., C. F. Strunck & Co., Peterson & Rulfs, Boylan & Hancock and Chestnut & Freeman.

BETTER BABIES

The crusade for better babies has spread from coast to coast, and taken firm hold of American Mothers. Few women realize how much the ill health of the mother influences the unborn child, both physically and mentally. Women who suffer from mysterious pains backache, nervousness, mental depression, headaches, etc., should rely on Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, which for nearly forty years has been the standard remedy for these ailments.

DANIELS CAN BE HERE ONLY ONE DAY IN MAY

Some Changes in Plans for Educational Rally.

Secretary of the Navy and State Superintendent of Public Instruction to Speak May 26th—Dr. Graham That Night.

By reason of the fact that Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, who is to be the guest of honor on the occasion, can be here only one day, instead of two, as was first thought, several changes in the tentative plans for the big educational rally to be held in connection with the commencement exercises in the public schools the latter part of May have been made.

Under the changed plans, the joint rally, participated in by all the city and county schools, will be held Wednesday, May 26th, instead of Thursday, the 27th. This will be the day that the children of the city and county schools will have their big parade. The children of the city will march from their respective schools, and the children of the county schools from the Hemenway school, which will be their headquarters on Wednesday, to a central meeting place, form in line there and then march to the High School, where the rally proper will be held on the campus. Secretary Daniels will deliver the principal speech at this rally. Other addresses will be made by Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and others.

The graduating exercises of the High School will be held Wednesday night at the Academy of Music, when Dr. Edward Kidder Graham, president of the University, will deliver the address to the graduating class. The Senior Class Day exercises will be held Tuesday, May 25th, at the High School, and the annual reception by the Juniors to the Seniors will be held at the High School Monday night.

The county superintendents of edumar schools will be held Thursday, May 27th. Tuesday and Wednesday will be visitation days in the grammar schools, when the public will be invited to inspect the exhibits of school work and the school buildings.

The closing exercises of the Williston Industrial school for the colored children will be held Thursday of the week preceding the rally.

The county superintendent of education for the Eastern District of North Carolina will hold their annual meeting here in connection with the educational rally. Their sessions will be held in the Hemenway auditorium. Twenty counties are represented in this district, and the teachers of all the public schools in the district will also be invited to attend.

Secretary Daniels had planned to be in Wilmington two days during the rally, but finds that he will not be able to be away from Washington for more than one day. He will arrive Wednesday morning, May 26th, and will return to Washington that night.

The programme for the rally has only been worked out in the rough so far. J. O. Carr, Esq., chairman of the Board of Education, and Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of city schools, are busy now working out the details.

RETURNS FROM TRIP.

Rev. W. V. McRae Preached at Coker College at Hartsville.

Rev. W. V. McRae, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, has returned after an absence of two weeks from the city, during which time he visited his old home in Anson county. On Sunday, April 18th, he preached in the Methodist church at Hartsville, S. C., and in the evening preached to the students of Coker College, a well known institution for young ladies. In the afternoon he delivered an address in the Y. M. C. A.

He also visited friends in Maxton, where he was formerly pastor of the Methodist church.

MONEY IN SHEEP RAISING

Experience of Two New Hanover Farmers Points Way to Profitable Industry for This Section.

That there is money in raising sheep on a small scale in New Hanover county is shown by the experience of two farmers, these being Mr. F. M. Foy, of Scott's Hill, and Mr. G. A. Huggins. Mr. J. P. Herring, county farm demonstrator, says that while he does not consider that the industry will ever reach large proportions, owing to the fact that there are not extensive grazing lands in this county, he is confident that every farmer would find it to his advantage to keep a few sheep, say some 40 or 50.

Mr. Foy purchased 37 head of sheep in December last year for which he paid $1.75 each, or a total of $64.75. He had three old ones and placed all of them in his pasture. He had previously sowed some rye but had made no other preparation. There was sufficient grass to keep them all the winter without further expense except for housing them at night and the manure easily paid for this trouble.

He had sold enough sheep by the 15th of this month to net him $74.05 and still had 31 sheep left which were worth fully as much as the 40 he had in December. In other words, in five months he had doubled his money and he will be able to secure several dollars for the wool which will be sheared next month.

Four years ago Mr. Huggins bought 12 sheep for which he paid $27. The first year he sold $14 worth and $55 the second year. The third year he did not sell any but lost ten sheep from disease. He sold 100 pounds of wool for which he secured about $15. Last year he sold $67.50 worth and still had 47 sheep.

While these two men did not make any big profit, it was sufficient to make the venture a profitable one as a side line. Sheep graze close to the ground and unless they have plenty of pasturage it is not advisable to secure a large number. If too many are placed in a pasture they quickly ruin it.

This is just one of the many sidelines, so to speak, says Mr. Herring, that New Hanover farmers can use to secure money for incidental exponses. It requires no additional help and little of their time and on this basis is well worth while.

WORK ON BEACH ROAD BEGINS THIS MORNING

First Big Motor Truck Arrived Yesterday.

Mr. Humphreys Plans to Complete Contract Before November—Will Put Down About Two Cars of Gravel a Day.

Work on the extension of the Federal Point road to and through Carolina Beach, Wilmington Beach and Fort Fisher Sea Beach will begin this morning, when the first train of Lillington gravel will be hauled down behind the big nine-ton Packard Motor Truck, which arrived yesterday. Mr. C. R. Humphreys, of this city, has the contract to build the road, and Mr. T. C. Page, of Charleston, S. C., a road man of much experience, will superintend the laying of the road.

Mr. Humphreys has until about the middle of November to complete his contract, but he will push the work and expects to have it completed somewhat earlier. Under his contract he will build about 7 1-2 miles of road, extending from the point where the Federal Point road joins the improved loop to a point one mile beyond the railroad at Carolina Beach. The expense of this work is to be borne jointly by the county and the several companies interested in the development of Carolina Beach, Wilmington Beach and Fort Fisher Sea Beach. Under the agreement between the county and the companies interested, the remainder of the road through the three beaches is to be built by the development companies. This will give a straight improved road from Wilmington to and through Carolina Beach, Wilmington Beach and Fort Fisher Sea Beach, a distance of about 17 miles.

Lillington gravel is the surface material that will be used, and this gravel is being unloaded at Sunset Park. Here it will be picked up in the big motor trucks and in the trailers to be attached to trucks and hauled down to the point where work on the road will be in progress.

Beginning today the big truck, with two three-ton trailers attached, will make on an average of five trips a day, hauling about 12 tons of gravel at a trip. Later on, with everything working smoothly, another trailer will be attached, and perhaps two more, thus increasing the amount hauled on each trip.

Next week another truck will be put in service, also with trailers attached, so that it will be possible to haul about 20 tons of gravel each trip with the two trucks.

It will require about 250 cars of Lillington gravel to complete the road covered in Mr. Humphreys' contract, and at the start about two car loads of gravel will be put down each day. The steam roller to be used in the work will arrive today, and the road will be rolled as the gravel is put down, in order that the big trucks and heavy trailers will not stall on the loose gravel. Mr. Humphreys will have a force of about a dozen men putting down the gravel and dressing it off as fast as the trucks deliver it.

The specifications for the road call for a surface 10 feet wide and eight inches thick. The grading for the road has already been done by the county convict forces. Mr. Humphreys' bid for the work was 76 cents a square yard and upon this basis the job will cost $4,458.66 a mile, or $33,439.95 for the seven and a half miles.

The hauling of the gravel and other materials for the work is to be done by Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., Mr. Humphreys having contracted with him for this.

PUBLIC MEETING TONIGHT

Annual Convention of Daughters of Liberty Convenes This Morning. Many Delegates.

The annual convention of the State Council of the Daughters of Liberty, an auxiliary organization of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, will meetin the Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Third and Princess streets, this morning at 10 o'clock and will continue in session through tomorrow. There will be more than 100 delegates in attendance from all parts of the State, the organization having more than 15,000 members in North Carolina.

The annual public meeting will be held in the Odd Fellows' building tonight at 8 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to attend. Mayor Parker Quince Moore will deliver the address of welcome and the response will be by National Councilor A. L. Bradley, of Richmond, Va. Other speakers this evening will include Mr. Matthey Kenney, of Philadelphia, representative of the National Council; Mr. J. N. Maxwell, Past State Councilor, Salisbury, and Mr. J. T. May, State Councilor, Durham.

After the public meeting the members of the order will have their annual banquet in the Junior hall on South Front street. The entertainment committee is arranging to make this an elaborate affair.

Picture Presented to School.

Yesterday morning at the opening exercises, the Union School was presented with a beautiful, hand-colored photograph of Grandfather Mountain. The picture, which is 24 by 68 inches in size, was given by Capt. Donald MacRae, of this city, who has a summer home at Linville, near the foot of Grand Father. Mr. John J. Blair, city superintendent of schools, made the speech of presentation. A similar picture, given by Mrs. Nellie Brenizer, of Washington, D. C., will be presented to the Hemenway school Thursday.

Marshals for Memorial Day.

Mr. Steve Jewett will be chief marshal at the Memorial Day exercises which will be held in Wilmington on May 10th under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy. His assistants will be Messrs. T. P. Sykes, R. J. Darden, A. W. Watson and Tom Rodwes.

PLAY TO BE GIVEN AT CHAUTAUQUA TONIGHT

William Owen and Co. to Present Modern Drama.

Frank Dixon Heard by Large Audience Last Night—Musical Recital This Afternoon—First Morning Lecture Today.

The main feature of the Chautauqua today will be the presentation of the play, "The Servant in the House," by William Owen and company tonight. Those who have seen this play declare that it is one of the strongest of the modern dramas and the company giving it tonight is said to be the best that has given it outside of New York, where it first appeared. This afternoon Signor Giuseppe Bartolotta will give a musical recital following which Dr. Charles E. Barker will lecture on the subject, "How to Live a Hundred Years." The first morning lecture will be given at 11 o'clock today by Dr. Barker.

Dr. Frank Dixon lectured last night on "Taking Stock of a Town." He talked for two hours, but so interestingly that the large audience didn't think about time. It was a eloquent address, full of facts and ideas, all centering around the ways of bettering the community.

In his discussion of how to make a city beautiful, how to make it sanitary, how to improve its educational system and of bettering its government he mentioned incidentally that he was in favor of women suffrage and the audience endorsed this proposition by vociferous aplause. He advocated the city manager plan of government for municipalities and showed how it has proven to be a great success in the cities that have tried it.

The interpretative reading yesterday afternoon by Wells Watson Ginn of "The Man From Home," was as fine entertainment as has ben given in this city for some time. Especially good was his impersonation of Daniel Voorhees Pike, of Kokomo, Ind., who goes to Europe.

The music of the Savranoffs both in the afternoon and evening was greatly enjoyed. When they had finished their programme the audience insisted that they come back again. They were kind in responding to encores and played and sang many selections, the concert last night lasting for 45 minutes.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Number of Papers Filed for Registration Yesterday.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Henry Horne and others to Henry G. Hall, for $100 and other considerations, Farm No. 2, in Horne Subdivision, Federal Point township.

H. F. Canady and others to Richard Everett, for $1 and other considerations, tract in Harnett township, on west side of old Military road, containing 2 1-2 acres.

B. B. Pridgen and wife to H. L. Herring, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east line of Eighth, 165 feet south of Marsteller street, 33x150 feet in size.

H. L. Herring to Geo. B. Applewhite, for $1 and other considerations, lot on east line of Eighth, 165 feet south of Marsteller street, 33x75 feet in size.

Southeastern Realty Company to C. B. Parmele, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of 14th and Orange streets, 60x89 feet in size.

C. B. Parmele to Marsden Bellamy, for $100 and other considerations, lot on south line of Orange, 30 feet west of 14th street, 30x89 feet in size.

MR. HAAR PAYS THE COSTS.

Justice Harriss Assures Justice Bornemann That He Will be Protected.

Justice Harriss yesterday continued prayer for judgment for six months and taxed Mr. J. Charles Haar with the costs in the case in which Justice Bornemann alleged that he had been assaulted. The specific charge was that as Justice Bornemann was passing up the street that the defendant caught him by the coat and pulled him around. This was not denied by Mr. Haar.

Justice Bornemann told the court that he had been frequently molested recently by certain men in the city to an extent that he considered unnecessary. He was assured by the court that he should have all the assistance necessary to get rid of his persecutors, if they went to the extent of interfering with his rights as a citizen.

MR. DENNY PRESIDENT

Succeeds Mr. T. E. Cooper as President of Bank at La Grange.

Mr. W. C. Denny, assistant cashier of the American National Bank, of this city, has been elected president of the Farmers' Bank and Trust Company, of La Grange, succeeding Mr. Thomas E. Cooper, who resigned on account of other business interests which kept him from giving the proper attention to the institution. Mr. Denny will continue in his present position with the Wilmington bank.

Mr. Denny is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Denny, of Greensboro, and is a young banker who has been remarkably successful in his chosen career. His many friends in this city will be glad to learn of his election to this new position.

Death of Young Son.

Friends will sympathize tenderly with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hales, who live at No. 814 South Front street, in the death of their three-months-old son, which occurred yesterday morning. The funeral will be held from the residence this morning at 10 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Charged With Selling Beer.

Henry Jackson, George Dudley and Lambert Ford, all colored men, who are alleged to have sold beer in the city last week, had a hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday. Probable cause was found and they will be arraigned before the Recorder this morning. Lambert Ford went to jail but the others were able to give the required bond of $100.

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THEATRICAL

Today's big five-reel show at the home of "The Incomparable Movies" is just another great scoop, a veritable landslide of all-star talent assembled on a single day's programme. It is headed by that great two-reel 101-Bison drama, "And They Called Him Hero," featuring Francis Ford and Mina Cunard, who, as everyone knows, is a sister of popular Grace, and a worthy one, too, as you will say after witnessing her work in this great feature. You always know that Francis Ford is going to really and truly act in any play he appears in. He is not a poser. He feels his pary and he makes you feel it, too. The realism, rapid action and startling development of this great play will thrill and delight you.

Then there's a great two-reel Victor dramatic feature, "Saved by a Dream." Handsome Harry Myers as the hero engaged to a charming girl, is tempted by a siren-like creature marvelously portrayed by Rosemary Theby. How the horror of a dream saves him from her wiles give these two fine actors and Brinsley Shaw opportunities for splendid acting that will hold you spellbound.

Then there's a great comedy—one of the best of the week, entitled "Fares, Please." It's a jitney comedy and is rip-roaring from start to finish and features Ernest Shields.

The Grand.

Today at the Grand Theatre Chas. Chaplin will appear in a two-reel Essanay comedy, "His New Job." This comedy is declared by critics who have seen it to be one of the funniest comedies ever filmed. It is simply a riot of fun from start to finish.

"It is the very best comedy I ever produced," is what Mr. Chaplin says of it himself. "The new surroundings and the clever actors whom I had to work with, enabled me to make the greatest comedy of my life. I couldn't help laughing at it myself when I saw it on the screen."

Added to this is the Keystone comedy, "Ye Olden Grafter," in which all the actors appear in Colonial costumes. Ambrose is especially funny in this production as are all the other performers made up in this peculiar garb. The programme today is a programme of laughs too good to miss.

"Stop Thief," at Victoria.

What's a kleptomanias? According to Webster: "A person of extraordinary absent-minded tendencies and morbid impulses." The Century Dictionary's definition is a trifle less charitable: "Insanity manifesting itself in an insane desire to steal."

George Kleine's later five-part comedy "Stop Thief", which shows at the Victoria Theatre today, deals with this question of kleptomania. There are two kleptomanias and two real crooks in "Stop Thief" and a double wedding pending. One of the kleptomaniacs is the millionaire father of the brides-to-be and the other is one of his prospective sons-in-law. The bride is aware of her father's failing, but is ignorant of the fact that her intended is so cursed, also.

Into this home on the wedding night a new maid introduces her own sweetheart, a real crook, and from that time on the audience is kept in a state of continual laughter. Weird and mysterious things happen in rapid succession. Valuable articles of all kinds disappear into the shoes or pockets of the thieves and thence, when discovery seems imminent, into the pockets of the self-confessed kleptomaniac. It requires a battalion of police to straighten out the tangle and permit the weddings to proceed.

"Stop Thief" is a screaming farce and has been filmed in five parts. There is snap and action from title to tail-peace, with a laugh in every foot. It was considered one of the funniest comedies on the American stage and in film has proven itself a genuine laugh-provoker of the merriest kind.

BEFORE THE RECORDER

John Fennell and Other Negro Youths Tried for Stealing Bread.

John Fennell and a number of colored youths were before the Recorder yesterday on a charge of stealing bread from the Globe Bakery. Fennell was given six months on the county roads and Willie Davis was given 30 days. James Hall was paroled and placed under the care of his mother on account of his youth. The charge against Bennie Best was dismissed.

Oscar Whitfield and Nelson Jenkins, both colored, were charged with engaging in an affray. The charge against Oscar Whitfield was changed to assault with a deadly weapon and he was given 30 days on the roads and Jenkins was taxed with the costs. Void McCullum, colored, was given 60 days for carrying concealed weapons. A similar charge against George Townsend, colored, was dismissed. Lottie May Acorn, colored, was taxed with the costs for forcible trespass. Judgment was left open in a case against Hicks Clark, colored, charged with carrying concealed weapons. William Jennions and Elijah Hall, both colored, charged with vagrancy, were discharged upon the condition that they leave the city.

VIENNA OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Developments in War Zone From Austrian Viewpoint.

Vienna, (via London), April 26.—The following official statement was issued by the war office today:

"In the Carpathians, in the sector east of Uzsok Pass, the fighting continues. We captured yesterday a new vantage point to the southeast of Koziowa, taking several officers and more than a thousand men prisoners.

"In order to regain the height which they had lost, the Russians made several counter attacks and also attacked the neighboring district, especially the height of Ostry and a position to the east of Ostry. All the attacks were repulsed with heavy Russian losses. Two Russian battalions were almost completely annihilated and one hundred prisoners were taken.

"Our troops pursuing the enemy, occupied 26 Russian trenches which contained much war material. The Russians before Uzsok Pass, after their attack failed, retreated in full flight. We gained much to the southeast of Koizowa.

"The west of Uzsok Pass in Galicia, Poland and on the Dneister in Bukowina there have been only artillery engagements."

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MAYOR MURPHY RE-NOMINATED.

Greensboro Primaries Big Endorsement of Administration.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 26.—In the city primaries here today, Mayor T. J. Murphy, Commissioners R. M. Rees and J. G. Foushee, Jr., received such high votes over all opponents that their election Tuesday week will be only a formal matter. It was a victory for the administration. Municipal Judge S. Glenn Brown beat his opponent, W. B. Byrd, nearly four to one.

El Paso, Texas, April 26.—A telegram to relatives here says Philip H. McCleary, reported under arrest at Vera Cruz, was released shortly after his arrest and left Vera Cruz three days ago. McCleary was employed by the Carranza government as publicity agent.

Today, Dollar Day sale at Polvogt's. Money will do double duty ap27-3t (advertisement.)

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Leila Rembert is visiting relatives and friends at Hendersonville, N. C.

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Miss Christine Sylvester, of Richlands, who has been visiting Miss Lila Aman, returned home Sunday.

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Miss Annie Memory, of Whiteville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. I. Davis, No. 517 South Front street.

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Mrs. L. Beaty and Miss N. Beaty arrived in the city Sunday night from New York on the Clyde Line steamer Cherokee.

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Mrs. John F. Herring and Miss Armada Johnson, of Burgaw, are visiting Mrs. S. F. Highsmith, No. 1106 Market street.

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Mrs. M. F. Dubrin, of New York, arrived on the steamer Seminole Sunday night and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Frain, at the Cape Fear apartments.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Rescue Workers will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. As this will be the last regular meeting until fall, a large attendance is desired.

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Misses Eliza and Ella Bellamy left yesterday afternoon for Charleston, S. C., where they will spend a few days at Magnolia Gardens, and will then go to Columbia, S. C., to visit their nieces, Mrs. Vernon and Mrs. Taylor.

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Friends will be glad to learn that Master Joseph Loughlin, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Loughlin, who was seriously hurt in an accident at Carolina Beach Sunday, was much better yesterday. He is at Harper's Sanitarium.

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Washington, April 26.—Senator Henry F. Lippitt, of Rhode Island, and Mrs. Thomas K. Laughlin, of Pittsburgh, were married at Mrs. Laughlin's home here today by Rev. Toland Cotton Smith. Mrs. Loughlin is a sister of Mrs. William Howard Taft.

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A committee fro mNorth Carolina Sorosis will have cold bottled soft drinks on sale at the Chautauqua tent today and each day thereafter while the Chautauqua continues. Sorosis also has home-made candy on sale at the tent.

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After the called meeting of the Colonial Dames next Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, the members will take up the relief work for the Red Cross Society which they have been doing the past winter and all those attending are asked to bring their sewing articles with them.

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Mrs. J. Duval Robertson and children have returned from Richmond, Va., where they visited relatives for several days. Master Edward Robertson, a 7-year-old son, had the misfortune to fall a short time after their arrival here Sunday, breaking both bones in his left arm. While the injury is painful, he is getting along as well as could be expected.

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Wilson, N. C., April 26.—Cards have been issued announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Marie Braswell Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bailey, of Elm City, to Mr. Culten Grover Flowers, of Newbern. The marriage is to occur May 12th at 9 P. M. in the Methodist church at Elm City. Mr. Bailey is a prominent banker of Elm City and the representative from this county in the General Assembly.

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Mr. Wade H. Harris, editor of the Charlotte Observer; Mrs. Harris and Miss Lula Springs, of Charlotte, arrived yesterday to attend the wedding of Mr. J. P. Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, and Miss Florie Wright Northrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Northrop, of this city, which will take place Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at St. James' church. Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Miss Springs are stopping at the Orton.

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SURPRISE MARRIAGE SUNDAY SOLEMNIZED AT MT. OLIVE.

Mt. Olive, N. C., April 26.—A surprise marriage of much interest to their many friends here and elsewhere throughout the State was quietly solemnized here early Sunday morning, the parties to the vow being Miss Lillion B. Southerland and Mr. H. H. Johnson, Rev. R. H. Herring, pastor of the Baptist church, officiating.

The bride is the popular daughter of F. M. Southerland, a well known resident here, who, because of her charming disposition numbers her friends by the score; while the groom is quite a successful business man of Smithfield, N. C., engaged mostly in the contracting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left on the 10:20 A. M. train for Smithfield, their future home.

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MISS MINTA LOCKWOOD JONES BRIDE OF MR. JOSEPH HULL, JR.

Washington, D. C., April 26.—A wedding of unusual interest to North Carolinians took place today at noon, when Miss Minta Lockwood Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood Jones, of Charlotte, became the bride of Mr. Joseph Hull, Jr., of Savannah, Ga.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's aunt, Miss Jane Wilkes, on Connecticut avenue, by the Rev. Dr. G. C. F. Bratenahl. The rooms were beautifully decorated with spring flowers, and the ceremony was performed beneath an arch of roses, pink snapdragons, and ferns.

The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. John F. Wilkes, of Charlotte, and wore a traveling suit of dark blue gabardine with white collar and cuffs, and a smart blue hat trimmed with white. She carried a bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Eloise Orme was maid of honor and her gown was of white embroidered net. She carried American beauty roses. Mr. Daniel Hull, of Savannah, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

The bride of today has spent the past two winters in this city with her aunt, Miss Wilkes. She is the great-granddaughter of Admiral Charles Wilkes, who discovered the Antarctic continent, and granddaughter of John Wilkes, U. S. N.

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CONCERNING THE PROGRAMME FOR THE DANSANT, MAY 4TH.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock the pupils of the Cantwell, Lord and Taylor's dancing class will open the entertainment with the grand march, in gala attire.

These charming children will give exhibition dances at intervals during the afternoon. Many, remembering their dancing at the January dansant, will be glad of an opportunity to see them again.

There will be general dancing also and ice cream and cake will be on sale. The hours are from 4 until 6 o'clock. Dancing will begin again in the evening at 9 and continue until 12 o'clock.

Four charming matrons, Mrs. Devereux Lippitt, Mrs. Victor Grainger, Mrs. Hugh MacRae and Mrs. William A. Townes, and four handsome bachelors, Mr. John Murchison, Mr. Adam Empie, Mr. William Parsley and Mr. William Lord, are now rehearsing the steps and figures of the old-time minuet. Their costumes have been ordered out from New York and will be most becoming.

Miss Louise Wise has graciously consented to do a Spanish dance in a costume just from Paris.

The Manikins have not yet sent in their names and there is a rumor that no Manikin's name will appear on the programme, but depend upon it! These Manikins, on their way from Palm Beach to New York, are most reliable. They represent "The glass of fashion and the mold of form" and will be "The observed of all observers."

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

A most interesting event will be the moonlight May pole party which will be given in May by the members of the freshmen and sophomore classes of the High School.

In the recent membership contest in which association membership pins was offered to the girl from the Union and the Hemenway schools, who secured the largest number of points, Bertha Williams, of the latter school, and Elizabeth McClure, of the former, were the winners. Miss Jane Emerson secured the largest number of points in the High School group.

Miss Bessie Bolles secured the largest number of points in the White Rose division and Mrs. George Lynch the second largest number. Miss Luciana Poisson led the Red Rose division and Miss Bessie Albright was second.

The membership of the association is now over 1,000 and new members are coming in daily. There are also many renewals. The work of the association will be greatly extended during the coming year and the members will have many additional advantages, one of the most important being the gymnasium which will be ready for use in the early fall.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. S. O. Bolton, of Charlotte, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. N. H. Alford, of Charlotte, was registered at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. H. Langden, of Atkinson, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. C. H. Gattis, of Raleigh, was in the city yesterday, stopping at the Orton.

—Mr. J. P. Council, of Wananish, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday, registering at the Orton.

—Messrs. E. J. Hill and J. F. Woodward, of Warsaw, were among the guests at the Orton yesterday.

ASHEVILLE POLLS HEAVIEST VOTE IN HISTORY OF CITY

Nominates Ticket Under Commission Form of Government.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., April 26. — The voters of this city today at their first nonpartisan primary under the provisions of the commission form of government made the following nominations for the four elective offices which will be filled at the general election Tuesday of next week:

Mayor—Mayor J. E. Rankin and Henry J. Olive. Commissioner of Public Safety—C. H. Bartlett and D. H. Ramsey. Commissioner of Public Works—J. G. Stikeleather and E. E. McDowell. Judge of the Police Court—Judge P. C. Cocke and J. Frasier Glenn.

The heaviest vote in the history of the city was recorded. Twenty-five candidates were in the race.

Atlanta, Ga., April 26.—A week of grand opera by the Metropolitan Opera Company opened here tonight with Meyerbeer's "Les Huguenots" ebfore an audience largely composed of visitors from many Southern cities. Giovanni Martinelli, Antonio Scotti, Leon Rothier, Adame Didur and Frieda Hempel sang the leadingfl roles. Giodio Palazco directed the performance.

Tallahassee, Fla., April 26.—The lower house of the state legislature today defeated a resolution to submit the proposed constitutional amendment allowing equal suffrage, to the voters at the 1916 election. The vote was 31 to 24.

Today, Dollar Day sale at Polvogt's. Money will do double duty ap27-3t
(advertisement.)

FUNERAL NOTICE

DIED—On Monday, April 26 ,1915, GEORGE REED FRENCH. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from residence, 302 South Third St., at 11 a. m., Wednesday, April 28. ap27-1t
(Advertisement.)

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MR. GEO. R. FRENCH PASSES

Prominent in Business Life of Wilmington for Fifty Years—Had Been Ill for Over a Year.

Mr. George Reade French, prominent in the business life of Wilmington for 50 years and one of her most highly respected and esteemed citizens, passed away at 12:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 302 South Third street. He had been in failing health for over a year, having suffered a slight stroke of paralysis on January 19, 1914, but his illness did not become critical until about a week ago.

The funeral will be held from the residence tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was an active and loyal member for over 40 years. The news of his death spread rapidly yesterday and last night hundreds of friends called to extend condolences to the bereaved family.

Surviving him are his wife and a number of nieces and nephews. Mr. W. A. French, a nephew, is the only surviving member of the firm of George R. French & Sons, with which Mr. French was connected during his entire business career. Messrs. Charles F. Toms, of Asheville, and Charles E. Nixon, of Baltimore, Md., nephews, and Mr. George French Worth, of New York, a nephew of Mrs. French, are in the city to attend the funeral.

Mr. French was the third eldest son of the late George Reade and Sarah Caroline French, of this city, and was born May 18, 1841, and was, therefore in his 74th year. He attended the Wilmington schools in his youth and just before the War Between the States had enrolled as a student at Wake Forest College. At the beginning of the war he enlisted in the Scotland Neck Calvary, but was later transferred to General Whiting's command at Fort Fisher and for the remainder of the period of hostilities was orderly for that commander.

After the war he returned to Wilmington and entered the employ of his father, who had been in the shoe business since 1822. The style of the firm at that time was George R. French & Son, being composed of the elder Mr. French and his eldest son, William A. French. In 1874 he was admitted as a member of the firm and continued actively connected with it until a few months ago, when he was compelled to give up work on account of declining health.

Upon the death of Mr. French's father in 1880 the control of the business was assumed by the late William A. French, which he retained until his death in 1907, when the deceased took sole control until the admission of his nephew, Mr. W. A. French, as a partner. In December, 1914, the firm was incorporated as George R. French & Sons, being composed then of Mr. French and his nephew.

This corporation is today the oldest business in the South, so far as known, that has continued under the same management, under the same name, with no failure and its credit unimpaired, for nearly one hundred years. It was the first firm in North Carolina to send a traveling salesman upon the road to solicit business. It is today one of the leading wholesale shoe firms of the South and probably does a more extensive shoe business than any other corporation or firm in the State.

For a few years Mr. French was president of the old Seacoast railroad, having been elected to this position because of his sound business reputation. At the time he assumed control of its affairs the road to Wrightsville Beach was not in a prosperous condition, but under his guidance it was able to weather the financial storms and was later sold to the Tidewater Power Company, Mr. French being made a director in the latter corporation.

Mr. French concentrated his efforts upon the affairs of his firm and it was this close attention to its affairs that has been so largely responsible for its success. Mr. French was one of the original subscribers to the stock of the old Atlantic National bank which was later taken over by the National Bank of Wilmington and was finally merged with the Murchison National bank, Wilmington's strongest financial institution today. He was also later one of those who established the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company. Some years ago Mr. French retired from the directorates of these institutions and of others in which he was interested.

His brother, Mr. W. A. French, was president of the old Wilmington cotton mills, now the Bellwill, and he was one of those establishing this enterprise.

He was for over 40 years a member of the First Presbyterian church and was at his death chairman of the board of deacons. As in his business life, he believed it better to concentrate his interests upon a few things rather than take a passing interest in many. He devoted to his church that attention and interest that he did to his business and was instrumental in accomplishing lasting results.

He was a type of the successful business man, who without making any pretensions, continues from day to day to give close attention to the details of the matters over which he has control and is able by this means to accomplish results that are permanent. He was progressive in his ideas.

Mr. French was a useful citizen, a kind and devoted husband; a man of sterling integrity, of unimpeached honesty and at all times exercised an influence for good and he will be sadly missed in his native city, where for 50 years he took an active part in everything that made for advancement.

Freckles and Blotches Are Easily Peeled Off

If you are bothered with any cutaneous blemish, it's a poor plan to use paint, powder or anything else to cover it up. Too often this only emphasizes the defect. Besides, it's much easier to remove the disfigurement with ordinary mercolized wax. Applied nightly, the wax will gradually remove freckles, pimples, moth patches, liver spots, sallowness, red blotches or any surface eruption. The affected cuticle is absorbed, a little each day, until the clear, soft, youthful and beautiful skin beneath is brought wholly to view. Ask the druggist for one ounce of mercolized wax, and use this like you use cold cream. Remove in morning with soap and water. Many who have tried this simple, harmless treatment report astonishing results.

If troubled with wrinkles or furrows, a wash lotion made by dissolving 1 oz. powdered saxolite in ½ pint witch hazel will prove wonderfully effective

LOCAL DOTS.

—Annie Batts and Ella Wallace, two negro women, had an encounter in Brooklyn last night in which it is alleged they used a bottle as a weapon. They were arrested by Policeman G. W. Bullard on a charge of an affray. The Wallace woman gave bond and the other was locked up.

—James Simmons, colored, who is charged with embezzling funds, was returned to jail yesterday by his bondsman, W. M. Bellamy, Esq. He was given a preliminary hearing several months ago before United States Commissioner George Harriss and is being held for the next term of Federal Court.

—Probable cause was found yesterday by Justice Harriss in a case against Mr. Ben Lane, who is charged with cruelty to animals, and he was recognized for his appearance before the Recorder this morning. It is alleged that he used carbolic acid on a mule in an attempt to remove vermin and that he worked another mule that was afflicted with sores.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LITTLE CHANGE IN COTTON

Market Comparatively Quiet and Fluctuations Irregular—Uncertainty as to May Tenders.

New York, April 26.—Cotton was comparatively quiet and fluctuations irregular today, owing partly, perhaps, to uncertainty over the probable extent and reception of May tenders expected tomorrow. Closed steady net unchanged to four points lower. Opened at a decline of 1 to 4 points, and sold 4 to 9 points net lower right after the call with July relatively easy under spot house selling.

Weather advices indicating continued rains Southwest tended to check sellers, and the market soon rallied on covering by May shorts, Wall Street support of new crop months and scattering demand from early sellers. October was relatively firm on the advance which carried prices some 3 to 6 points net higher during the early afternoon, but the market later eased off again on an easier tone in New Orleans and private reports from there that spot offerings were freer with less demand. Closing prices were steadied by reports from Texas that the heavy rains would necessitate much re-planting and that all crops had been damaged in low lands. Mail advices from Galveston stated that 15 steamers were due to arrive there for cotton cargoes, mostly for April sailing, and today's official report from Houston showed spot sales of over 15,000 bales at unchanged prices in that market.

Cotton futures closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	10.20	10.26	10.18	10.19
July	10.50	10.55	10.41	10.46
October	10.79	10.87	10.76	10.79
December	10.95	11.04	10.93	10.94
January	10.96	11.04	10.94	10.95

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 10.60; sales 400 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 9.68; receipts, 3,909; exports, 6,500; sales, 945; stock, 331,074.

Galveston—Middling, 10.10; receipts, 4,760; sales, 1,502; stock, 401,485.

Mobile—Middling, 9.38; receipts, 188; sales, 75; stock, 18,903.

Savannah—Receipts, 3,652; exports, 5,808; stock, 137,916.

Charleston—Middling, 9⅝; receipts, 441; stock, 68,232.

Wilmington — Middling, 9⅝; receipts, 1,141; exports, 3,000; stock, 56,074.

Norfolk—Middling, 9.75; receipts, 3,622; sales, 3,317; stock, 70,900.

Baltimore—Middling, 9¾; stock, 3,777.

Boston—Middling, 10.60; stock, 13,900.

Philadelphia—Middling, 10.85; stock, 5,070.

New York—Middling, 10.60; receipts, 557; exports, 3,000; stock, 197,406.

Minor Ports—Stock, 91,520.

Total today—Receipts, 18,270; exports, 18,308; stock, 1,397,225.

Total for week—Receipts, 36,875; exports, 47,380.

Total for season—Receipts, 9,857,418; exports, 7,082,708.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 10.05; receipts, 7,022; shipments, 6,767; sales, 4,207; stock, 130,723.

Memphis—Middling, 9.50; receipts, 5,129; shipments, 5,239; sales, 1,600; stock, 156,483.

Augusta — Middling, 9.88; receipts, 427; shipments, 1,171; sales, 833; stock, 116,285.

St. Louis—Middling, 9½; receipts, 731; shipments, 1,002; stock, 32,595.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 1,430; shipments, 1,883; stock, 8,526.

Little Rock—Middling, 9.25; receipts, 101; shipments, 697; sales, 697; stock, 26,978.

Dallas—Middling, 9.45; sales, 75.

Total today—Receipts, 14,840; shipments, 16,759; stock, 470,590.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 26. — Cotton: Good inquiry for spot, prices irregular. Good middling, 6.14; middling, 5.78; low middling, 5.38. Sales, 12,000. For speculation and export, 4,000. No receipts.

Futures, quiet. May-June, 5.68; June-July, 5.75½; July-August, 5.83; October-November, 5.99½; January-February, 6.05½; March-April, 6.10½.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, April 26. — Mercantile paper, 3¾@4 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady; sixty day bills, 4.7625; for cables, 4.7950; for demand, 4.7925. Bar silver, 50¾. Mexican dollars, 38¼. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular. Time loans, easy; sixty and ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3¼@3½. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 2 per cent.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 26. — Dress goods markets were quiet today. Cotton goods and cotton yarn, firm. Raw silks, more active, at easier prices. Jobbers reported a more active wash goods and white goods trade.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 26. — Raw sugar, steady; centrifugal, 4.64; molasses, 3.87; refined, steady.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee — Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 7¾; Santos, 4s, 10c.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Uncertainty Over May Tenders Held Market Down Yesterday.

New Orleans, April 26.—Uncertainty over May tenders held the cotton market down today. In the early trading prices fell off 5 to 7 points on circulation of notices of the delivery of 1,300 bales in this market and while this decline was recovered the market fell off again late in the day on expectations of heavy tenders in New York tomorrow.

The main sustaining influence was the weather in Texas. The forecast of more rain in the western sections of the state intensified the effect of the unfavorable reports. Around the middle of the day the market was at its highest, an advance of eight points over Saturday's final figures. Late in the session the market was heavy. The close was at a net loss of 2 to 5 points.

Cotton futures closing: May 9.86; July 10.22; October 10.47; December 10.64; January 10.78.

Spot quiet, unchanged; middling 9.68; sales on the spot 570; to arrive

MUCH SELLING OF WHEAT

Caused by Rumors That Italy Is About to Declare War on Austria and Germany.

Chicago, April 26. — Rumors that Italy was about to declare war on Germany and Austria led to a good deal of wheat selling today. Close, unsettled, from 2⅜ decline to 1⅛ advance, compared with Saturday night.

Corn suffered a net loss of 1⅜ to 1⅝; oats, ⅝, and provisions, 7½ to 10@17½.

Wheat—May, 1.64⅝; July, 1.37½.

Corn—May, 77¼; July, 80½.

Oats—May, 56½; July, 55⅝.

Pork—July, 18.07; September, 18.50.

Lard—July, 10.35; September, 10.60.

Ribs—July, 10.47; September, 10.75.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.64¾@1.65¼; No. 2, hard, 1.64¾@1.65½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 78@79.

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Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 2,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 45.

ROSIN—Quiet, $3.00 per barrel for large; $2.90 per barrel for small.

TAR—Quiet, $1.70 per barrel; 8c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Steady, $2.75 per barrel for soft; $2.75 per barrel for virgin; $1.50 per barrel for hard.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 42. Rosin, firm, $3.55. Tar, firm, $2.00-9½c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.75; $3.75; $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine .. ..(—)

Rosin .. ..(—)

Tar 87

Crude Turpentine .. ..(—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, 4 barrels; tar, 26 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Firm, at 9⅝c; quotations same day last year, 13 1-8.

Receipts—1,128 bales; same day last year, 467 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, to date, 246,435 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 372,760 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, April 26.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,032 bales cotton; 46 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—86 bales cotton; 16 barrels tar.

Str. Thelma—3 bales cotton.

Bessie May—7 bales cotton.

Str. Oast—25 barrels tar.

Total—1,128 bales cotton; 87 barrels tar.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 17,)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

PEAS—Black eyed peas, $2.75 per bu.; cow peas, market not open.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, 80@85c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, $1.00 per bu. Good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good sales.

PORK—Small, 10c. per lb.

SHEEP—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 20c.; free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 13c.; dry flints, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18@19c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 25c. per lb.; dull.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 40@45c. Spring, 20@30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—18c. per doz.; very dull.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 24. — North Carolina Peanuts — Market, stronger; new crop, fancy hand-picked, 1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 90c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Firm. Jumboes, 80c.; fancy hand-picked, 75c.; No. 1, machine picked, 65c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady; No. 1 small, machine picked, 85c; Jumbos, 75c. per bu. Receipts light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., April 23, 1915.

Spanish, Farmers' Stock, $1.00 per bushel asked, 95c. per bushel bid.

Virginias, Farmers' Stock — Market, steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3 1-2c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2¾c. to 2¾c.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, April 26. — Cotton seed oil was easier under scattered liquidation on the decline in lard, prospective big May tenders and slow outside trade. The bulk of the business was in the way of switches, closed 1 to 4 points net lower. Crude markets, steady.

The market closed steady. Spot, 660 bid; April, 6.61 bid; May, 6.60@6.62; June, 6.78@6.80; July, 6.93@6.94; August, 7.08@7.09; September, 7.17@7.19; October, 7.20@7.21; December, 6.90@7.02. Total sales, 7,700.

STOCK MARKET DECLINES

Most of the Gains of the Day Lost During the Last Hour of the Session—Factors.

New York, April 26.—During most of today's market session, stocks showed consistent strength, particularly copeprs and other industrials and numerous equipment and miscellaneous specialties. In the final hour practically all that advantage was lost, the market declining abruptly under lead of Reading and United States Steel.

No specific news accompanied the sharp reversal, but rumor was just as busy with adverse gossip at that time as it had been earlier with a host of favorable "tips." Selling of Reading toward the end seemed to emanate from substantial sources, while extensive offerings of steel pointed to assistance from the short interest.

Prior to the late selling, new high prices had been made by some of the less prominent metal shares. Union Pacific, Great Northern, St. Paul and other investment issues in the railway division also were higher by 1 to 1 1-2 points. The only laggards were Missouri Pacific and Missouri, Kansas & Eexas common and proferred.

Bonds irregular, the only strong features being copper convertible issues which rose buoyantly. Total sales, par value, $4,523,000.

United States bonds unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	78¼
American Agricultural	59
American Can	38
American Car and Foundry	54
American Cities, pfd	B. 48
American Cotton Oil	52½
American Smelting	74⅛
American Snuff	160
American Sugar	110½
American Tel and Tel	122
American Tobacco	103⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	111⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	77⅝
Canadian Pacific	167¾
Central Leather	41¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	47½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	96
Erie	28¾
General Electric	153⅝
Great Northern, pfd	121⅝
Illinois Central	111½
Interborough-Met., pfd	70
Kansas City Southern	25
Lehigh Valley	143⅞
Louisville and Nashville	124
Liggett and Myers	225
Lorillard Co	175
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	11¼
Missouri Pacific	13
Mexican Petroleum	90½
New York Central	88⅞
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	68
Norfolk and Western	105
Northern Pacific	109½
Pennsylvania	110¼
Reading	152
Rep. Iron and Steel	28¾
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	85½
Rock Island Co	⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	1
St. L. and San Fran., 2nd pfd	5¾
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	40
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	71
Southern Pacific	93½
Southen Railway	18½
Southern Railway, pfd	58½
Tennessee Copper	35
Texas Co	138
Texas and Pacific	16
Union Pacific	132⅝
United States Steel	57½
United States Steel, pfd	108¾
Utah Copper	71½
Virginia-Caro. Chem	28¼
Western Union	69
Bethlehem Steel	145
American Beet Sugar	48

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

Savannah, April 26. — No naval stores market today. Holiday.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES HELD

Confederate Dead Remembered in Several Southern States.

Atlanta, Ga., April 26.—Memorial exercises were conducted in several Southern states today in honor of the Confederate dead. The day was a legal holiday in Alabama, Florida, Mississippi and Georgia. Parades, public gatherings and other exercises, including the decoration of the graves of Confederate veterans, occurred in the principal cities of the states mentioned Several Texas cities also held memorial exercises.

Washington, D. C., April 26.—Secretary Daniels today awarded the contract for 150-ton floating crane for the Norfolk Navy Yard to Wellman-Seaver-Morgan, of Cleveland, Ohio, at $350,994.

NEAR DEATH BY SMOTHERING

But Husband, With Aid of Cardui, Effects Her Deliverance.

Draper, N. C.—Mrs. Helen Dalton, of this place, says: "I suffered for years, with pains in my left side, and would often almost smother to death.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

April 27, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 67 degrees; at 8 P. M., 68 degrees; maximum, 83 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, 1.85 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday 6.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina, Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Port Calendar, April 27, 1915.

Sun rises.. .. ..5:27 A. M.
Sun sets .. .. 6:52 P. M.
Day's length.. .. ..13 hrs. 25 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington. . .	7:52	8:26	3:01	3:17
Southport . . .	5:37	6:11	11:59	11:53
Masonboro Inl. .	5:26	6:00	11:39	11:33

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

April 26, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: 8 P. M.	Highest Weather at	Lowest today. Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene. . .	cldy	82	56	.0
Asheville. . .	cldy	84	52	.0
Atlanta . .	clear	86	66	.0
Augusta. .	pt cldy	86	62	.0
Birmingh. .	cldy	86	62	.0
Boston . .	pt cldy	84	48	.0
Charleston.	pt cldy	80	64	.0
Charlotte . .	clear	92	64	.0
Chicago . .	pt cldy	88	68	.0
Galveston . .	cldy	74	70	.20
Jacksonville .	lear	76	64	.0
Mobile....	cldy	80	62	.0
Montgomery.	cldy	88	60	.0
New Orleans	clear	82	64	0.
New York	pt. cldy	76	48	.02
Oklahomo. .	cldy	78	58	.02
Palestine. .	cldy	80	66	1.32
Pittsburg. .	cldy	88	58	.16
Raleigh . .	clear	92	64	.0
Savannah . .	clear	80	60	.0
Shreveport. .	cldy	68	68	2.80
St. Louis. .	clear	82	64	.0
Washington.	cldy	94	60	.0

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, April 26. — Hogs, steady. Bulk, 7.35@7.50; light, 7.25@7.60; mixed, 7.15@7.60; heavy, 6.85@7.50; rough, 6.85@7.05; pigs, 5.25@6.75.

Cattle—Weak. Native beef steers, 6.10@8.60; Western steers, 5.55@5.60; cows and heifers, 3.10@8.50; calves, 6.25@9.00.

Sheep — Strong. Sheep, 7.60@8.60; lambs, 8.50@11.15.

NOTICE.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company. Auction Sale of Unclaimed and Refused Freight.

Wilmington, N. C., April 20, 1915.

By direction of the Freight Claim Agent, notice is hereby given that the following listed freight will be sold at public auction for freight and other charges at the A. C. L. Freight Warehouse in Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, May 26th, 1915.

Goods sold without guarantee of quantity, quality or value.

Sale will commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

Terms—Spot Cash.

J. A. HUSKE, Route Ag't, A. C. L., Fayetteville, N. C.

1 Carload Cross Ties (A. C. L. 18371). From G. S. Ellis, consigned to G. T. & W. J. Flynn, Wilmington, N. C.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of and pursuant to a decree of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, sitting in Bankruptcy, in a cause therein pending, entitled "In the Matter of G. Henry Haar, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy," the undersigned duly elected Trustee in Bankruptcy of the estate of said G. Henry Haar, Bankrupt, will, on Monday, the 24th day of May, 1915, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in New Hanover County, offer nad expose to sale for cash, to the highest bidder, the following real estate situated in the City of Wilmington and bounded and described as follows:

FIRST TRACT.

Beginning at a point in the Northern line of Pender Avenue, 82 ft. 6 in. East from the Northeast intersection of Pender Avenue and 20th Street, and running thence North parallel to 20th street 113 ft. to an alley; thence East parallel to Pender Avenue 49 ft. 6 in.; thence South parallel to 20th street 113 ft. to the Northern line of Pender Avenue; thence West along Pender Avenue 49 ft. 6 in. to the beginning. Being all of Lot 9, and East half of Lot 10, in Block 21, according to the map of Carolina Place, which map is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book 48, at page 180.

SECOND TRACT.

Beginning at a point in the Northern line of Princess Street 99 ft. East from the Northeast intersection of 16th and Princess streets, and running thence North parallel to 16th street 165 ft. to a ten-foot alley; thence East, parallel to Princess street 33 ft.; thence South parallel to 16th Street 165 ft. to the Northern line of Princess street; thence West along Princess street 33 ft. to the beginning. Being part of Lots 3, 4 and 5, in Block 481, according to the official plan of Wilmington.

This sale is made subject to confirmation by the Court.

FRANK HERBST, Trustee.

Dated April 19th, 1915.
Robert Ruark,
Attorney for Trustee.
ap21,27;my3,10.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY

Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., April 20, 1915.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1915. The transfer books are closed from the 20th day of April, 1915, to the 1st day of May, 1915, both inclusive. JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.

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PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION

San Francisco, California.

VERY LOW ROUND TRIP FARES VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Premier Carrier of the South.

DATES OF SALE

March 1st to November 30th, 1915.

Final return limit will be three (3) months from date of sale, not to exceed December 31st, 1915.

Low round trip fares apply as follows:

Raleigh, N. C.	$87.95
Durham, N. C.	86.95
Burlington, N. C.	85.25
Chapel Hill, N. C.	86.95
Oxford, N. C.	87.25
Goldsboro, N. C.	90.29
Selma, N. C.	89.35

Fares from all other points on same basis.

Fares for tickets routed one way via Portland, Seattle or Victoria at higher rates.

Stop-overs will be permitted on both going and return trip at any point within limit of ticket.

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Atlantic Coast Line

"The Standard Railroad of the South" Bulletin of Special Round Trip Fares.

—from— WILMINGTON

WASHINGTON, D. C.	$12.55
RALEIGH, N. C.	$5.55
MUSKOGEE, OKLA.	$37.65
CHATTANOOGA, TENN.	$18.20
HOUSTON, TEX	$41.25
RICHMOND, VA.	$5.50
BIRMINGHAM, ALA	$24.50

On sale April 15, 16 and 17th, limited returning May 8th.
On sale April 21, 22, 23; limited returning April 27th.
On sale April 23, 24 and 25, limited returning May 4th.
On sale April 25, 26 and 27th, limited returning May 8th.
On sale May 6th to 11th, inclusive, limited, returning May 21st.
On sale May 29th to June 2nd, inclusive, limited returning June 10th. Stopovers at any point. Limit extended on tickets until Midnight, June 30th, upon payment of fifty cents.
On sale June 7, 8 and 9, limited returning June 17th.

For schedules, reservations and any further information, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

ATLANTIC COAST LINE
W. J. CRAIG, Pass. Traf. Mgr. T. C. WHITE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Rates, in Effect From Wilmington.

NASHVILLE, TENN	$20.15
CHATTANOOGA, TENN.	$18.20
HOUSTON, TEXAS	$41.25
RICHMOND, VA.	$5.50
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.	$24.50

On sale June 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26; July 22, 23 and 26th. Limited returning fifteen days.
On sale April 25, 26 and 27th; limited returning, midnight, May 8th.
On sale May 6 to 11th, limited returning midnight, May 31st.
On sale May 29 to June 2nd; limited returning Midnight, June 10th; STOPOVERS at any point. Limit extended on tickets until Midnight, June 30th, upon payment of fifty cents.
On sale June 7, 8 and 9th; limited returning, midnight, June 17th.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 12, 1914.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND

Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach
.....	.....	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
6:50 A.M.	6:50 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.
.....	.....	.....
10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.
c1:55 P. M.	c1:55 P. M.	.....
cd2:35 P. M.	.....	.....
3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:10 P. M.	.....	.....
4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P.M.	5:30 P.M.
6.10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....
11:15 P.M.	11:15 P. M.	.....

WEST BOUND

Leave Winter Park for	Leave Wrightsville for	Leave Beach for
Wilmington	Wilmington	Wilmington
a6:20 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a7:31 A. M.	a7:20 A. M.	.....
b7:56 A. M.	b7:45 A. M.	b7:35 A. M.
a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
9:36 A. M.	9:26 A. M.	.....
b10:31 A.M.	b10:20 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
11:06 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	.....
12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	10:45 A. M.
2:01 P. M.	1:50 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
c2:36 P. M.	c2:25 P. M.	e1:40 P. M.
cd3:06P.M.	.....	.....
3:50 P. M.	.....	.....
4:06 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....
c5:10 P. M.	.....	.....
5:36 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
6:21 P.M.	6:10 P. M.	e3:05 P. M.
6:51 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	.....
7:33 P. M.	7:22 P. M.	e7:15 P. M.
8:06 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	.....
8:56 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	.....
10:21 P. M.	10:10 P. M.	10:00 P. M.
10:56 P. M.	10:45 P. M.	.....
11:56 P. M.	11:45 P. M.	.....

SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess streets every half hour from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.

Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 to 5:45 P. M.

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b—Sundays Only.
c—Superceded by half hour cars Sunday afternoons.
d—Goes through to Seagate; returning leaves Seagate at 3:00 P. M.
e—Leaves from Station No. 3.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

(Daily, except Sundays.)

Leave Ninth and Orange streets, 3:30 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 2:30 to 3:30 P. M.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Feb. 18, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. * 6:20 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbus and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbus, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at 8:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. 10:10 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 65. ‡ 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. * 6:45 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:30 A.M.	Local train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Salisbury.	No. 52. * 5:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:20 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 55. * 5:30 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 85. ‡ 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and intermediate stations.	No. 80. ‡10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:50 A.M.

* Daily. ‡ Daily except Sunday. † Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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Wilmington to Georgetown.

S. S. Navanoe ..... Monday, May 3rd
S. S. Cherokee ..... Monday, May 10th

Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Cherokee ..... Saturday, May 1st
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ALLIES WORKING HARD TO PULL ITALY OVER

But Deep Secrecy Surrounds the Negotiations.

If Italy Does Not Decide as to War Before Parliament Convenes in May, Prorogue Will Probably Follow.

Rome, April 26 (via Paris).—The prevailing opinion in parliamentary circles is that if no definite decision as to Italy's participation in war is reached by May 12, when the chamber of deputes re-convenes, parliament will be prorogued. International questions could not be discussed in parliament while they still were under negotiation, it is argued, and it would be absurd for it to discuss trifling matters when such highly important questions were before the country.

King Victor Emmanuel conferred with his cabinet members yesterday. He talked with Premier Salandra and Foreign Minister Sonnino at length and was closeted for an hour with Minister of War Zupelli.

An energetic campaign is being conducted in the Italian press on behalf of the Allies. Every day there appears telegrams from Petrograd warning Italy that if she does not soon intervene she will lose everything. It is said the Allies have decided to give nothing, in case they are victorious, to a neutral power which, in the words of Jules Cambon, the French diplomat, "rushes to succor the victor."

The newspapers also publish dispatches from London saying the Italian ambassador there is about to sign with Sir Edward Grey an agreement, providing that Italy shall side with the Allies.

The truth of the matter is, however, that there is little basis for these various reports. It can only be said that the negotiations still are proceedings and that they are surrounded with the deepest secrecy.

ROOSEVELT, GOVERNOR, FREELY CONSULTED PLATT ON MATTERS

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velt wrote to Mr. Barnes from Washington:

"Most emphatically whatever my friends do up in Albany, I shall stand by them.

"I have given them, including you, my best judgment. * * * Now if you and those like you fear that I shall ask you to cut your throats, your fear is groundless."

Roosevelt to Parsons.

On August 27th, Colonel Roosevelt wrote to Mr. Parsons, then a New York Congressman, from the White House, as follows:

"I entirely agree with all you say as to your just reasons for complaint against Governor Hughes, and, furthermore, with all you say as to the fact that many of those who desire his re-nomination desire it chiefly for the purpose of hurting the Republican party.

"Moreover, My Dear Parsons, you can hardly seriously suppose that, to quote your own words, I am trying to 'treat you as a puppet'—that is, if you mean me when you say 'those in charge of the National campaign,' which, of course, I am not. On the contrary, I have written again and again to Taft and to Hitchcock not to make any open statement and I haven't the slightest intention of 'telling you what to do,' and never will 'tell the newspapers that you will be told what to do,' and never have thought of so telling them. * * *

"Of course, I want the fullest and most open expression of preference at the primaries, but I'll stand heartily for whatever you, Fassett and the rest of the leaders finally do."

On November 4, 1908, election day, Colonel Roosevelt wrote Barnes from the White House:

"Good for you. We all are to be heartily congratulated on the whole business, National and State."

Colonel Roosevelt identified all of the letters and declared them to be authentic.

Roosevelt Conferred With Platt.

A series of confidential letters from the files of the late Thomas C. Platt were read to the jury. Some of the letters were signed by Senator Platt, while others were signed by Colonel Roosevelt. In nearly all of them the writers discussed candidates for office in the state government, and, in reply to a question by Mr. Barnes' counsel, the former President said without hesitation that he consulted freely with Senator Platt about affairs at Albany, realizing at all times that he was the "boss" of the Republican party in this state.

One of the letters read contained a postcript, saying:

"All right, I'll change the whole board of tax assessors."

The letters were brought to Syracuse by the former senator's son, and turned over to counsel for Mr. Barnes.

Although the Colonel, who occupied the stand while the letters were being read, could not say whether he ever had made it known to the public that he was conferring with Mr. Platt over appointments, he denied emphatically that such conferences constituted "invisible government."

"My actions," the witness asserted, "were as visible as they could be."

In one letter Colonel Roosevelt told Platt not to wait "lunch" for him in New York and that he would call late in the afternoon.

"Did you go there to consult Senator Platt as leader or boss of the party about affairs in Albany?"

"I did," replied the Colonel.

Had Platt to Breakfast.

In another letter Colonel Roosevelt invited Platt to breakfast at the home of Douglas Robinson, his brother-in-law. The Colonel said he wanted to talk about a candidate for state architect, and that he had a "bully letter from Ambassador White about Priest."

"Did you," asked Mr. Barnum, "meet the boss at your brother-in-law's because you desired secrecy?"

"I did not."

"Did you know when you first discussed with Senator Platt the franchise tax law?"

"I do not know. I do not know whether Mr. Barnes was present. I don't know who else, if any one, was present."

In a letter from Colonel Roosevelt to Senator Platt, dated 1899, various persons suggested for "surrogate, among them a Mr. Beckett, were discussed. A postcript read as follows:

"All right. I'll change the whole board of tax assessors."

In reply to a question, the witness said he couldn't answer questions about each specific appointment.

"There were 4,000 of them, I believe," he added.

Relied on Platt.

"Were there times when you relied entirely on Mr. Platt?" asked Mr. Barnum.

"I relied on him unless there was reason not to."

Mr. Barnum read a letter in which Senator Platt advised appointment to office of a New York jeweler named Stern as he had been a "generous contributor last fall."

Colonel Roosevelt wrote to Senator Platt, "All right, I will appoint Stern."

In reply to another question, Colonel Roosevelt said:

"The Senate alone had the power to make appointments, although it was my duty to nominate. I had to confer with the controlling factor of the senate in order to get my nominations confirmed."

Platt Controlled Senate.

"Was Senator Platt in the state senate?"

"No; but he controlled it."

"Now Colonel Roosevelt," said Mr. Barnum later, "when Senator Platt was doing the things you wanted him to do, he was all right, wasn't he?"

The Colonel fenced with Mr. Barnum a moment, then he made a grimace, smiled and said: "He was all right."

GERMAN RAIDER TO INTERN AFTER ALL

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ture of any vessel flying the flag of a nation with which Germany is at war, and she would have been entitled to a clear 24 hours in which to get out. For this reason, the departure of belligerent merchant vessels would have been held up for 48 hours.

If the Wilhelm had not interned shipping would have been held up at 12 o'clock April 28th and would have continued until April 30th, midnight, at which time the Kronprinz would necessarily have been out of this port or forcibly interned.

Collector Hamilton a week ago delivered to the commander of the Wilhelm the government's final conclusions as to the time limit allowed the Kronprinz Wilhelm for the making of her repairs and her departure from the territorial waters of the United States.

Spectacular Career.

The Wilhelm, formerly a North German Lloyd passenger liner plying between New York and Bremen, arrived here Sunday, April 11, after spending eight months in the South seas. Several times she was reported destroyed, but she eluded many hostile warships which sought her and destroyed thirteen merchant vessels of the Allies enemies of Germany and one neutral vessel, a Norwegian bark. The commander claimed that vessel carried contraband.

It was just after the Prinz Eitel had been interned that the great drab-painted liner appeared suddenly in Hampton Roads and asked for fuel and supplies. She had but 250 tons of coal in her bunkers and her provisions were short.

In her dash from Mid-Atlantic to Cape Henry, the Wilhelm evaded several foreign warships which had been hovering off the capes waiting for the Eitel either to intern or venture out to sea.

WASHINGTON SURPRISED.

But News of Decision to Intern Brings Feeling of Relief.

Washington, April 26.—Announcement from Newport News that the commander of the German sea raider Kronprinz Wilhelm had given notice he would intern without waiting the expiration of the time allowed by the United States to make his ship seaworthy was received with surprise and relief in Washington. It is understood that several days of that period still remained.

It was suggested here tonight that Thierfelder's announcement was made on instructions from the German government through the embassy here not to attempt a dash.

The Wilhelm will be interned at the Norfolk navy yard and her officers will be allowed the freedom of the cities about Hampton Roads under the same rules made for the crew of the interned vessel.

ENGLAND AND EUROPE NOW AWAIT OUTCOME OF BATTLE IN FLANDERS

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the Dardanelles is contained in a brief war office report, which simply says that in spite of serious opposition, troops have been landed at various points on the Gallipolli peninsula, and that their advance continues.

The attack is being made by land, sea and air. The Allied airmen are playing an important part in the operations in locating positions and dropping bombs on the Turkish guns and trenches and directing the fire of the warships, which are covering the landing of the troops.

The Russians are doing their share by making a demonstration against the forts at the Black Sea entrance of the Bosphorus.

The official announcement of the admiralty and war office on the operations in the Dardanelles was as follows:

"The general attack on the Dardanelles by the fleet and the army was resumed yesterday.

"The disembarkation of the army covered by the fleet, began before sunrise, at various points on the Gallipolli on the peninsula, and in spite of serious opposition from the enemy in strong entrenchments protected by barbed wire, was completely successful.

"Before nightfall large forces were established on shore.

"The landing of the army and the advance continue."

As to Italy and Greece.

The diplomatic situation with respect to Italy and Greece remains obscure. It is known, however, that conversations are still proceeding between the Germanic allies and Italy and it is reported that an agreement has been reached between Rome and the Triple Entente.

The position of Greece may be cleared up after the visit which Prince George is paying to Paris and London, although nothing is likely to happen until after the general election about to take place.

Holland, as a neutral country, deeply interested in the war, is isolated except by telegraph, the British having placed an embargo on shipping—although two steamers loaded with produce, arrived at English ports from Holland today, while Germany has closed both her own and the Belgian borders.

The German action is dictated by the desire to hide troop movements. The British action is not explained, except by the assumption that the admiralty expects a naval battle with the German fleet cruising off Helgoland.

BRITISH OFFICIAL REPORT

Reviews Developments of the Tremendous Battle Around Ypres.

London, April 26.—The British war office has issued the following statement respectin gthe battle around Ypres:

"First. Severe fighting unchanged. Our left flank, in readjusting its line to meet the altered conditions due to the original forced retirement of the French had to face to the North and to extend to the west beyond St. Julien.

"This extension weakened our line for a time, and after a gallant resistance by the Canadians against Superior numbers St. Julien was captured by the enemy. Our lines now run south of that place.

"Second. Our troops to the east of Ypres have borne the brunt of repeated heavy attacks, which they have stubbornly opposed throughout the battle, in an unentirely expected situation which has demanded the exercise of gallantry and fortitude by the men, and quick resource and other military qualities by their commanders.

"Third. Attacks also were delivered yesterday by the Germans on the East of the Ypres Salient. In spite of the use by the enemy of asphyxiating gases the attacks were repulsed and German officers and men were captured.

"In the fighting during the last three days we have inflicted heavy casualties on the Germans. Our losses also have been heavy. The German wireless report that four English heavy guns were captured is untrue.

"One of our aviators dropped bombs on the Courtale station today and destroyed the junction. Although wounded he brought his machine safely back to our lines."

PARIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Developments of a Day as Seen From French Viewpoint.

Paris, April 26.—Tonight's official statement issued by the war office said:

"To the north of Ypres, on the left of the battlefront, we have made very sensible progress and have driven back the enemy, inflicting on him heavy losses. The Germans have employed a new asphyxiating gas, but means of protection has been put into service which has given the best of results among our Belgian allies and ourselves.

"A spirited infantry engagement has taken place near Fay, to the north of Chaulnes, for the possession of an excavation caused by the explosion of a German mine. Our troops dislodged the enemy from it, and have maintained the position notwithstanding two counter-attacks.

"In Champagne near Beauzjour, the Germans attempted an attack which was immediately arrested.

"On the heights of the Meuse, the attacks of the Germans on the front comprising Les Eparges, St. Remy and the trench of Calonne have suffered a complete check. Despite the extreme violence of the German effort, we remain masters of the whole of the position at Les Eparges, the slopes of which are covered with bodies of dead Germans.

'At the trench of Calonne, our withdrawal of the day before yesterday which was temporary, and in which we suffered the loss of not a single cannon, immediately was followed by successful counter-attacks on our part. The Germans delivered their attack with not less than two divisions.

"In the Vosges, the enemy, after a bombardment of extreme violence, gained a foothold, on the summit of Hartmanns-Weilerkopf. We occupy, at a distance of about 10 metres from the summit, the positions from which we carried out our attack of March 23, and it was from those positions that we set out on the 26th to capture the summit by an assault which lasted seven minutes."

DEVELOPMENT OF WATERWAYS BEATS RATE REGULATION

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tors with the assent of parents, force children to go to school and "acquire arithmetics and adenoids, history and hookworm, algebra and astigmatism, cube root and consumption, Caesar and spinal curvature."

The speaker said manual training could be started with "a boy, a broom-handle and a knife" and that popular co-operation with the demonstration and extension work now in the hands of the agricultural colleges would make farming communities "blossom like the rose."

He urged that every city, town and village have school systems by which young and old, men and women, might not only learn to read, write and figure, but to improve and perfect themselves in whatever line of work they choose for a living.

Washington, April 26.—Legal problems arising in labor disputes will be discussed by prominent lawyers, labor leaders and jurists at general hearings of the Federal Industrial Relations commission to be begun here May 4th.

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First Lot—Beginning in the western line of Nutt street at a point 119.7 feet Northwardly from the Northern line of Grace street and running thence Northwardly along the Western line of Nutt street 55.75 feet; thence Westwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet; thence Southwardly and parallel with Nutt street 55.75 feet; thence Eastwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet to the Western line of Nutt street, the point of beginning, same being parts of lots two and three in block 203, according to the offical plan of the City of Wilmington, subject, however, to a lease from Worth & Worth, a copartnership, and former owners of said lot, to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, said lease expiring in the year 1934, and being for an easement or siding at the rear of said lot."

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The two lots will be offered separately and then jointly, and the terms of sale are cash, subject to the approval of the Court.

This 19th day of April, A. D. 1915.
J. O. CARR,
ap20-30t Commissioner.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Pursuant to the provisions of the charter of the City of Wilmington and a resolution of the City Council of the City of Wilmington, passed at its session on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1915, notice is hereby given that a general municipal election has been called to be held in the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in the various wards and voting precincts of the said city, on Tuesday, the 4th day of May, A. D. 1915, for the purpose of electing a Mayor of the said City and six Councilmen or six Aldermen of the said City, as the case may be, and that the following named polling places and registrars and judges of election have been designated and named for the purpose of holding said election, to-wit:

First Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Engine House, 4th and Campbell streets.
Registrar—W. H. Howe.
Poll holders and juages of election—Willie Kerr, J. B. Elkins.

Second Ward Precinct.

Polling Place: Police Station, City Hall.
Registrar—Lee Holmes.
Poll holders and juages of election—Thos. Bacon, Jr., M. H. Brimmer.

Third Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge, corner 8th and Princess streets.
Registrar—J. R. Davis.
Poll holders and judges of election—Walter H. Blair, B. W. Bradford.

Fourth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—McClellan's Stables, 116 Dock street.
Registrar—F. W. Pfeiffer.
Poll holders and judges of election—J. H. Legwyn, E. T. Burton.

Fifth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Engine House, 6th and Castle streets.
Registrar—R. H. Orrell.
Poll holders and judges of election—S. A. Matthews, I. N. Burriss.

Sixth Ward Precinct.

Polling Place—Mann's Store, 17th and Market street.
Registrar—J. F. Mann.
Poll holders and judges of election—J. D. Edwards, A. M. King.

At which said election the electors of the said city will be entitled to vote for one candidate for Mayor, and one candidate for Councilman, or Alderman, as the case may be, from each of the six wards of the said city, and the registration books will open for the registration of electors on Friday, the 16th day of April, A. D. 1915, and closed on Saturday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1915, Sunday excepted, Saturday, the 24th, being also challenge day.

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